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The March of the Nations

By Rufus Steele

Air Travel Hails New Wonders

Lindbergh Sees Paris Again

Bulgaria Balks Balkan Plan

Hitler Asks Aid of Churches

Italy Observes March on Rome

Oldest Woman's Club Is Dumb

COMMERCIAL air traffic boasts of transforming wonders just ahead. American Airways, Inc., inaugurates a mail and express service between Cincinnati and the Pacific coast on a 15½-hour schedule, said to be the fastest ever achieved. New transports are likewise to increase passenger speed. Dr. Hugo Eckener says regular Zepplin service between the United States and Europe and India waits only upon proper financing. In returning to Germany the Graf Zeppelin will have covered more than 500,000 miles. The secret of this unparalleled record is said to be foreknowledge of the weather. Radio gives constant reports from weather bureau—And Commander Eckener is said to have the greatest nose for weather in the world.

France finds in Premier Albert Sarraut's new Cabinet 12 of the 18 faces seen in the old. Former Premier Daladier remains as Minister of War, Paul-Boncour as Minister of Foreign Affairs, Chautemps as Minister of the Interior. The party leaning is more toward the Center. Moderates, rather than Socialists, will be looked to for support. The budget and preserving the franc are still the issues. More economies, rather than more taxes, are proposed. The public is doubtful. It believes more cabinets may fall before that big budget balances.

Paris is surprised to find Col. Charles A. Lindbergh for a second time within its gates. The silent Lone Eagle and his wife fly from Scotland to Les Mureaux naval airport on the Seine and are whisked to the Hotel Crillon in the city that made him famous before anybody but Air Minister Pierre Cot knew they were coming. Paris, hoping for six years for this return visit, grows excited; but for a little while the unrecognized aviator is able quietly to show his wife famous scenes. They are scenes in which an unknown boy, courageous enough to wing the Atlantic, turned to a world hero overnight.

Bulgaria indicates that the Balkan peace movement is not complete. Sofia, the capital, welcomes Prime Minister Gombos and Foreign Minister Kanya of Hungary and lauds Hungary's demand for revision of the Treaty of Versailles. This comes just when the Little Entente felt Bulgaria was about to join the friendship circle and accept territorial boundaries as they are. The Bulgarian element which disagrees with the Sofia gesture still hopes to carry the day. It would accept the status quo as Bulgaria may cease to be a rank outsider among its neighbors.

Germany's national organization of Protestant churches is asked to give the Chancellor its full support in the Reichstag election. Evangelical Archbishop Ludwig Müller, in making the appeal, says: "We Evangelical Christians regard the salvation of our nation through our leader Hitler as a gift from God. We agree that the Chancellor defends the life and honor of the nation. We are one with him in his true, genuine will to peace towards all other nations." The churches are asked to give their votes as a gesture of thanksgiving.

Italy's cities and towns get a sweeping message from Premier Mussolini on the eleventh anniversary of the Fascist march on Rome. He says the flight of the Balbo armada to America is the exaltation of the Fascist revolution into the skies. It bespeaks the stuff of the Fascist generation. It Duces sees the world of doctrines against which the Black Shirts rose as capitalizing everywhere—"Fascism," he boldly declares, "is the hope of the world."

Palestine is torn with the protest of the Arabs against the increase of Jewish immigration, mainly from Germany. In Jaffa the Arabs close their shops, call a general strike and after their midday prayers attempt to start a forbidden procession. Police in steel helmets and with steel shields break up the effort after much fighting. The army and air force are held in readiness for serious trouble. In Jerusalem the police halt and disperse all Arab crowds—Such opposition in the homeland may seem to the Jews like the last straw.

America's oldest woman's club stages an extraordinary meeting at Jacksonville, Ill. On the club's one hundredth anniversary of its first meeting men read the reports of women officers and not a woman commits the immodesty of speaking in public, as in the original session. The Society in 1833 was called Ladies' Association for Educating Females. This may explain a century's startling changes—The females are now educated.

New Leisure All Over World Sends Thousands of People Back to Primitive Pleasures

Hiking and Camping Grow Steadily More Popular Everywhere—By Foot, Horse, Bicycle, Auto or What Not, Trek to Wilderness Goes On

How Will the New Leisure Be Used?

Fifth of 18 Articles

By Godfrey Lias

Special from The Christian Science Monitor Bureau
LONDON—Up and down and across the world as never before vacationists are feeling the lure of the great out-of-doors that lies away from towns, away even from roads. Amid the heather of space-swept moors, the bores of wind-swept lakes, and the reeds of storm-swept bays, they are learning to invest their leisure in diamonds of dawn-bright dew and the common stock of natural beauty which never passes a dividend. Until the coming of the automobile the world rather disapproved of the primeval. Today a constantly growing stream of hikers, campers, skiers, cyclists, takes its mechanical way as near to the edge of civilization as it can manage and then with a happy sigh disappears for a week, two weeks, a month, or a mere week-end into a pre-mechanical, indeed, preëquinox—age.

Perhaps the most striking example of the back-to-nature movement is the Maine to Georgia Appalachian Trail in the United States. The present summer has seen the virtual completion of this 2000-mile track along the sky line of the great mountain barrier of eastern America. The Appalachian Trail is unique among hiking paradises for it was cleared by the voluntary work of the hikers themselves through rocky and wooded wilderness well enough still to be sheltering old Rip van Winkle himself. Few European countries possess the same width of untamed horizons.

Johnson Holds Law Over Ford On NRA; Injustice, Latter Says

General Threatens to Turn Ford Company Declares Matter Over to Attorney-General It Never Said It Would Not Sign

Special from Monitor Bureau
WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Acting on the assumption that Mr. Henry Ford will be very shortly an overt violator of the automobile code, Brig.-Gen. Hugh S. Johnson, recovery administrator, that he would "turn the case over to the Attorney General" if Mr. Henry Ford fails to submit figures requested by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, under the terms of the NRA auto code. Charging General Johnson with assuming the "airs of a dictator," a company statement said that General Johnson "should forthwith be removed from his position. The statement read: "Mr. Johnson's vocabulary has got him down again. Before assuming the 'airs of a dictator,' he should forthwith be removed from his position. Henry Ford has refused compliance with Government requirements. "The public has known the Ford Motor Company for 30 years, and is not dependent on Mr. Johnson for information concerning his company. It is an act of injustice for Mr. Johnson to intimate that any refusal has been made of any proper demand on the Ford Motor Company, especially since Mr. Johnson knows that even his original signers have not had time to file their reports, which he charges this company with refusing. "We suggest a code of fair publicity for Mr. Johnson's interviews. The statement was the first official comment of the Ford company in the controversy between the Recovery Administration and Mr. Henry Ford that began when the motor magnate declined to sign the NRA auto code, although he was represented as believing he could observe it fully without signing. "The Ford Company consistently has refused to comment on his position, taking the stand that there was no necessity for such comment providing it observed the code. The change of policy today apparently was caused by General Johnson's asserting in Washington that if Mr. Henry Ford did not furnish figures on wages, hours and schedules, as required by the NRA auto code, he would "turn the case over to the Attorney-General."

Ford himself has declined to be interviewed, saying briefly on several occasions that he has "nothing to say about the NRA."

Auto Chamber Unaware Of Deadline on Code
WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—(P)—The National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, the designated agency for collection of statistics from the automobile manufacturers for the NRA, said today it was not its understanding that the deadline had been fixed by the NRA for submission of the required information. The statement was prompted by published reports that Mr. Henry Ford, largest automotive manufacturer outside the NRA fold, would understand that on a deadline had been fixed by the NRA for submission of the required information. The statement was prompted by published reports that Mr. Henry Ford, largest automotive manufacturer outside the NRA fold, would understand that on a deadline had been fixed by the NRA for submission of the required information.

Alfred Reeves, general manager, authorized the announcement that all companies within and outside the chamber have been supplied with forms for the required figures, but that thus far only 10 or 12 have returned them. None of these was a large company.

Durango Budgets New Roads
Special to The Christian Science Monitor
MEXICO, D. F.—Gov. Carlos Roa of the State of Durango announced that the 1934 budget for that State will contain an item of 3,400,000 pesos for road construction.

Egypt Marks Time on Pact With England

Former Premier Gives Conditional Support to New Cabinet

Depends on Policy

Chief Difficulty to Face New British Commissioner Is Charter Compromise

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt.—The resignation of Ismail Sidki Pasha, for the last three years Egypt's Premier, and the appointment of his successor Abdul Fattah Pasha Yehia, Minister of Foreign Affairs under the Sidki régime from June, 1930, to January, 1933, has produced a decided ripple in the recently fairly calm pool of Egyptian politics.

These changes have come coincident with the transfer of Sir Percy Loraine, the British High Commissioner, to the Embassy at Ankara and the appointment as his successor of Sir Miles Lampson, recently stationed at Belgrade. But rumors that the resignation of Sidki Pasha has in any way been linked with the appointment of Sir Miles Lampson, now have been dispelled.

The avowed reason for Sidki Pasha's retirement from the Premiership is given as ill-health. It is believed, however, that the main reason why he decided to resign is the fact that he recently has been troubled with interference in the affairs of the State by certain prominent persons closely connected with the palace. And the fact that his action followed closely on the refusal of King Fuad to agree to certain new ministerial appointments proposed by the Prime Minister, also is held as significant in political circles here.

Several Ministers Reappointed

The new Cabinet, recently formed by the King, contains several members who held the same office under the former Government. These are Mahmud Fahmy Pasha Kelsy, Minister of the Interior; Ahmed Pasha Ali, Justice; Hilmy Pasha Issa, education, and Ibrahim Fahmy Pasha Kerim, communications.

Said Bey, who has been made Minister of War and Marine and Aly Bey el Menzawli of Agriculture. Both were members of the Sidki Cabinet. New members of the Government include Abdel Asim Pasha Rashid, Minister of Public Works, and Neguib Pasha Gharabli, Wafk (pious bequests). Kerim Pasha and Aly Bey el Menzawli, however, were expelled from the Shaabist Party upon accepting posts in the new Cabinet without the party's consent.

The Shaabist Party now has declined to support the new Government.

Royal Land Grant, When Illinois Was French, Broken Up

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

PRAIRIE DU ROCHER, Ill.—An official act of King Louis XIV of France, which has stood inviolate for two and a quarter centuries, is about to be undone. A new Illinois statute, passed by the last session of the Legislature, has given this small Mississippi River village the right to sell its royally granted commons.

The Prairie du Rocher commons, which consist of 6000 acres of bluff land overlooking the river, make up the last intact tract that goes back to the period when the French flag flew over the territory of Illinois.

The question of what to do with the commons has become an important problem locally. Agitation to have the matter settled through sale grew out of uncertainty over the status of ancestral homes on the commons and extensive improvements which farmers have made. One thing will not be changed. Sale receipts, like the lease rentals, will go to keep up the village schools.

Federal Financing Of Schools on Way

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

DAYTON, Ohio, Oct. 27.—A national plan for financing a minimum of education, a depression-proof plan, to prevent the education of youth going up and down with the stock market, will be demanded by the people some day, according to Dr. William Trufant Foster of Newton, Mass., director of the Pollak Foundation for Economic Research.

He was on today's program of the National Teachers' Association's convention.

"Under NRA, education is a forgotten man," he argued, pointing out that in the \$3,000,000,000 federal program there is money for "nearly everything except schools."

He observed that Chicago could raise millions to start its world's fair to advertise the city, but that its teachers have a "queer notion" about the \$16,000,000 which it owes for taking care of its children.

"All over the country the schools are being scuttled," he said. "Pinched taxpayers are crying loudly for economy and harassed officials are striking out blindly, in any direction, to save money. The schools are the easiest place to start the scuttling."

Leading Actors on Egypt's Political Stage



Left and Center, THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR.—(P) Keystone. Right—By Russell, London. © Elliott and Fry, Ltd.
Cabinet Changes Offer Wide Implications
Left to Right—King Fuad, Center—Ismail Sidki Pasha Who Recently Resigned Premiership, Right—Sir Miles Lampson, New British High Commissioner.

International Law School Dedicated By Tufts College

Latin American Issues Raised as Opening Topic of Study

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

MEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 27.—Tufts College formally dedicated the Fletcher School of International Law and Diplomacy today before a notable gathering of economists, educators and business leaders.

Echoes of Dean Halford Hoskins' words of welcome to visitors from all over the United States had hardly subsided in the new auditorium before Latin-American problems were swept into the focus of this \$1,000,000 educational venture by opening day speakers.

Dr. Charles W. Hackett of the University of Texas discussed the recent reversal in policies of the United States towards the restless equatorial nations of the Western Hemisphere. These reversals, he said, have promoted Latin-American concord.

Scrapping of the policy of providing military protection for both American and foreign interests in disturbed Caribbean countries, unless these interests assembled in coastal towns, the speaker considered one of the advanced steps taken by the United States to remove distrust.

This was complete repudiation, the educator said, of the dangerous Coolidge policy based on the "inviolability of personal and property rights of United States citizens abroad."

The speaker had to do with the recognition of Latin-American countries by the United States. Heretofore, majority political elements, he pointed out, have come into power "by evicting pro-American minority factions."

"The greatest need has been," he said, "an understanding of the Monroe Doctrine by the people of the United States. It is largely our own fault that Monroism came to imply imperialism. Stripped of its colorations, it contains only inhibitions against future European colonization in America and against European intervention in internal affairs of the American states."

Dr. Hackett's discussion will be used as a background for a two-day intensive study of inter-American relations starting tomorrow, following which a report offering solutions to present problems and pointing out avenues of improving relationships will be drafted and sent to all those interested.

M. I. T. to Play Host To Science Academy

Many of America's most distinguished natural scientists will gather at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology on Nov. 20, for the three-day session of the National Academy of Sciences.

This year marks the seventieth anniversary of the Academy's founding, the Act of Congress under which it was established having been signed by President Abraham Lincoln in 1863.

The outstanding public event of the session will be a lecture by Dr. Arthur E. Morgan, director of the Tennessee Valley Authority, on "Muscle Shoals and the Tennessee Valley Problem."

Poisonous Gases of Motor Engines Eliminated by Liverpool Invention

LIVERPOOL.—A means of eliminating the discharge of carbon monoxide exhaust gases from automobiles is claimed to have been invented here by a Yorkshire natural scientist, Dr. John Harger, after extensive research in the engineering department of Liverpool University.

The invention, it is said, will rid the air of the pollution caused by exhaust fumes.

Dr. Harger's discovery takes the form of packing the exhaust system with a mineral known as bauxite, which is said to consume the carbon monoxide by combustion, but itself remains unchanged. Chemical reaction takes place when the exhaust gas combines with the extra air coming into contact with the bauxite, and the carbon monoxide, lubricating oil and unburned petrol are consumed.

Stringent road tests are claimed to have proved the efficiency of the system, and in a statement on the result of independent tests of the device Dr. C. O. Banister, the Henry Bell Worley professor of metallurgy of Liverpool University, says: "After the gases had passed through the catalyst, that is, the bauxite material, there was an increase in the amount of the carbon dioxide, a decrease in the oxygen content, and the carbon monoxide was always reduced to 0.1 per cent only after the bauxite had become hot. In view of these good results, I consider that the catalyst, as devised by Dr. Harger, is efficient in eliminating carbon monoxide."

Wiggin's Profit In Chase Stock Up in Millions

His Private Corporations Made \$10,500,000 and Bank Only \$159,000

Family Also Enriched

Present Chase Head Declares Against Further Dealing in Its Own Shares

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Mr. Albert H. Wiggin, former head of the Chase National Bank, made an extraordinarily good thing out of speculating in the shares of his own bank in the years 1928 to 1932, according to evidence which he gave at a resumed hearing of the Senate Bank Committee today.

Between 1928 and 1932 three of his personally controlled private trading corporations which bought and sold shares of the Chase Bank on the open market piled up a rich profit of almost \$10,500,000. The good fortune was accentuated by the comparatively meager returns which accrued in the same time to open market operations by the Metropolitan Corporation—a securities affiliate of the Chase Bank—that it managed to secure a total profit of only \$159,000 for the Chase Bank shareholders.

The Metropolitan Corporation was owned outright by shareholders of the Chase Bank, of which Mr. Chase was president. On the other hand, the Sherman, Murlyn and Clington trading corporations were owned by Mr. Wiggin and his family. In 1931, for example, the Chase Bank suffered a total loss of \$2,103,595, in its trading while the private Sherman Corporation made a profit of \$4,198,000—for Mr. Wiggin.

Opposed to Practice

As a dramatic conclusion to the day's testimony, Mr. Winthrop W. Aldrich, successor to Mr. Wiggin as president of the Chase, rose in his place, suddenly asked to be heard and declared the days of market manipulation of a Chase bank security are over.

"Let there be any doubt of my attitude on this subject," he said in effect, "I want it to be known that I am opposed to the practice, and this attitude will continue so long as I have anything to do with Metpotan."

"The Market in Chase stocks will not be influenced by the operation of trading accounts by its affiliates in future," Metpotan, he added later, would be divorced from its parent company, "just as soon as it can be," under the new banking law.

Mr. Ferdinand Pecora, committee counsel, promised to continue exploration of Mr. Wiggin's profits at later hearings. Mr. Wiggin's own explanation was simple. Metpotan, acting in behalf of the Chase stockholders, had bought and sold Chase shares from day to day, he said; on the other hand, he had conducted long-range operations, which were consequently more successful. The banking committee was obviously dissatisfied with this answer.

Tempted to Speculate

Earlier in the testimony, Mr. Wiggin admitted he would oppose similar open-market operations by an affiliate like Metpotan today.

This view was elicited after it was disclosed that the Chase Securities Corporation, another affiliate of the Chase National Bank, suffered tremendous losses in the 16 years of its existence, since 1917. On June 30, 1933, Mr. Wiggin said, a total reserve of \$120,138,075 was set up against losses sustained in depreciation of securities purchased by the affiliate. Of this figure, unrealized loss now stands at \$71,592,059, the balance of \$48,546,016 having actually been written off.

"Was the securities corporation originally formed to engage in open market operations?"

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'Lone Eagle' in Paris Without Reception

PARIS, Oct. 27.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, who bucked a howling storm to get here as he did in 1927, visited in contrasting quiet today the scenes where thousands roared him tribute after that historic transatlantic crossing of six years ago, and today had his first normal glimpse of the city.

Accompanied this time by a wife, the "Lone Eagle" dropped out of fast-darkening air lanes yesterday and taxied his seaplane up to the landing dock on the River Seine at Les Mureaux, 25 miles west of here. Cloaked as he had wished it, in silence, his arrival from Inverness, Scot., was known only to authorities. The Colonel's first daylight view of Paris when it was not cheering him was a fleeting glimpse as he returned to Les Mureaux in the automobile of M. Pierre Cot, Air Minister, to look over his plane. He slipped almost unobserved and bareheaded out a side door of the hotel, strode quickly to the automobile, crossed the city, remained 20 minutes at the airport and then returned to Paris.

Mrs. Lindbergh remained in her room while the Colonel went to view his plane, but left the hotel a few minutes after noon wearing a light brown checked suit and a black felt hat.

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Farley Refuses Roosevelt Colors On McKee Banner

Silent on McKee State-
ment; Fusion Extends
Lead in Straw Vote

By Wynona Dashwood
Special from Monitor Bureau
NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—James A. Farley, Postmaster-General and political generalissimo of the Roosevelt Administration, is back in his old Empire State hunting ground today to do what he can for the Democratic ticket in the forthcoming Assembly election.

The campaign of Joseph V. McKee, which Mr. Farley initiated with his New York City political aide, Edward J. Flynn, Bronx Democratic leader, has not been doing well and it was confidently expected that when he again came here, he would at least in his capacity as Democratic state chairman, give it an impetus that would put Mr. McKee over first in the race for Mayor.

But he would say something that could be construed as indicative that the McKee candidacy had White House backing.

Instead of this, Mr. Farley, in part after the fashion of Caesar, came and saw—and moved on to up-state Assembly election headquarters.

Not even the expert questioning of experienced political reporters known to Mr. Farley for many years could draw from the Postmaster-General a word of approval of the McKee candidacy. He was urged specifically to comment on Mr. McKee's statement that "a vote for McKee is a vote for Roosevelt."

Roosevelt to Keep Out
"No, no, I don't want to say anything about it," Mr. Farley replied. "I won't discuss it."

And then stepping aboard the train that was to take him up-state, he added half apologetically:

"I just can't do that."

Simultaneously, Mr. Charles Burlingame, one-time president of the bar association, and who headed the committee that selected the city-wide Fusion slate on which Maj. Fiorello H. LaGuardia is the mayoral candidate, speaking at an independent mass meeting in support of Fusion at Mecca Temple

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WBZA will continue at 5:15
o'clock as usual. Owing to a
football radiocast, however,
on Saturday, Oct. 28, the
radiocast will be heard at
5:30 o'clock.

last night, announced that he had received a letter directly from President Roosevelt disclaiming any connection with the McKee candidacy.

Democrat Backs Fusion
As Fusion speakers continue to hammer away at McKee claims of Roosevelt Administration sponsorship, support continues to come to the reform ticket from Democrat, Republican and independent quarters. The latest name to be inscribed on this roll is that of Robert H. Moses, one-time New York Secretary of State and a close personal and political friend of Alfred E. Smith.

Simultaneously Congressional support was promised Major LaGuardia and the sixth installment of the Literary Digest poll, on the news at n.: today, gave him a lead of 47,884 over Mr. McKee and 160,037 over Mayor O'Brien.

The LaGuardia vote was placed at 217,509, which is 63.34 per cent of the total registered preference; Mr. McKee at 159,715 or 47.78 per cent; Mayor O'Brien at 51,562 or 9.19 per cent, and Charles Solomon (Socialist), 11,499, or 2.17 per cent.

**Alleged Gold Hoarders
Arraigned in Boston**

Two alleged gold hoarders in Massachusetts were arrested today by federal authorities after a long investigation by the Department of Justice into the hoarding of gold in violation of President Roosevelt's order that all of the yellow metal be restored to banks. This action followed the return of secret indictments yesterday by the federal grand jury.

Warrants for the arrests were issued by Federal Judge Hugh D. McEllan. This action follows the order of the United States Attorney-General, Mr. Homer S. Cummings, instructing all district attorneys to proceed as soon as possible against violators of the anti-hoarding order of the President.

**Live Fish Shipped by Air
By Quebec Government**

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—The largest fish-stocking venture carried out by the Quebec government this year and the first to be shipped by airplane was made recently when 40,000 land-locked or fresh water salmon were transported from Lake Sacconni, to Lac de Sources.

The transportation of this large shipment of live fish by air is regarded as an interesting experiment. Usually the fish have to be carried in large containers over rough roads and trails and the length of time taken in this procedure means that many of them are too feeble to swim about in search of food by the time they reach their destination.

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League of States Gets Early Start On Mutual Issues

Liquor, Tax, Crime, Relief
Are Among First Questions
Up For Discussion

Special from Monitor Bureau
CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—An early start on the solution of mutual problems facing state governments, such as liquor control, tax revision, crime control and relief, is planned by the new League of State Governments just organized here to promote group action of the states.

The first meeting of the league has been announced for Nov. 11 and 12, when the board of managers will gather at Washington in connection with the meeting of the Interstate Committee on Conflicting Taxation.

Financing of the new league is now being arranged in New York by Mr. Henry W. Toll, executive director of the American Legislators' Association and it is understood this is expected to be effected with the help of funds from private foundations. The American Legislators' Association is understood to be financed principally by funds from the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Foundation and the Rosenwald Fund founded by the late Julius Rosenwald, Chicago merchant and philanthropist.

For Regional Planning
It is declared by Mr. Toll's assistants here that what he has in mind is to carry the idea of "regional planning" into the field of state government, bringing administrative officers of states in the same region, and with similar problems, together on common ground to work out these problems with expert aid from the central office, to be in Chicago.

It may mean the establishment of a state planning council in each state to serve as an additional instrumentality for the administrative officials in dealing with the regional groups or the national body, it is said.

At the Washington meeting the board of managers, consisting of 32 men prominent in fields of state administration, legislation and government research, is expected to get down to work to develop means of correlating the activities of the states and of bringing the State and Federal Governments into closer accord with each other.

Will Work Together
The two organizations are expected to share offices and staffs. The magazine, State Government, organ of the Legislators' Association, may be broadened to serve the purposes of both groups.

The most important governmental aid groups are represented on the board of managers, so that the new agency, it is pointed out, brings together all of those other agencies which are concerned with the problems of state government.

Among the managers, in addition to the governors of six states, are Mr. Louis Brownlow, director of the Public Administration Clearing House; Dr. Arnold Bennett Hall, Belle Sherwin, president of the National League of Women Voters; Mr. Luther Gulick, president of the Institute of Public Administration; Mr. Elbert D. Hayford, president of the National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and Treasurers; Dean Isidor Loeb, of Washington University School of Business and Public Administration; and president of the American Political Science Association; Judge Orie L. Phillips, president of the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.

**Wiggin Profited
By Many Millions**

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market operations?" asked Mr. Pecora.

"I do not think it was originally so contemplated," said Mr. Wiggin, "except as to stocks of its own bank."

"What prompted it to engage in operations with other stocks?"

"The times,"

"The speculative atmosphere of the period,"

"Do you mean that you yielded to the temper of the times?"

"I am afraid so," said Mr. Wiggin. "Would you engage in such operations today?" asked Mr. Pecora at a later point.

Respects Public Opinion
"No, sir," said Mr. Wiggin, "if for no other reason, than out of respect for public opinion."

"That's a new one!" exclaimed Senator James Couzens (R.) of Michigan.

Oh, you think this hearing by the Banking Committee has been a public opinion as to certain kinds of market operations?" asked Mr. Pecora.

"I hope so," said Mr. Wiggin, smiling wanly.

Until recently Mr. Wiggin was drawing \$100,000 a year retirement pay from the Chase bank, but gave this up since the present hearings began. Pressure by stockholders influenced this decision, it was ascertained today.

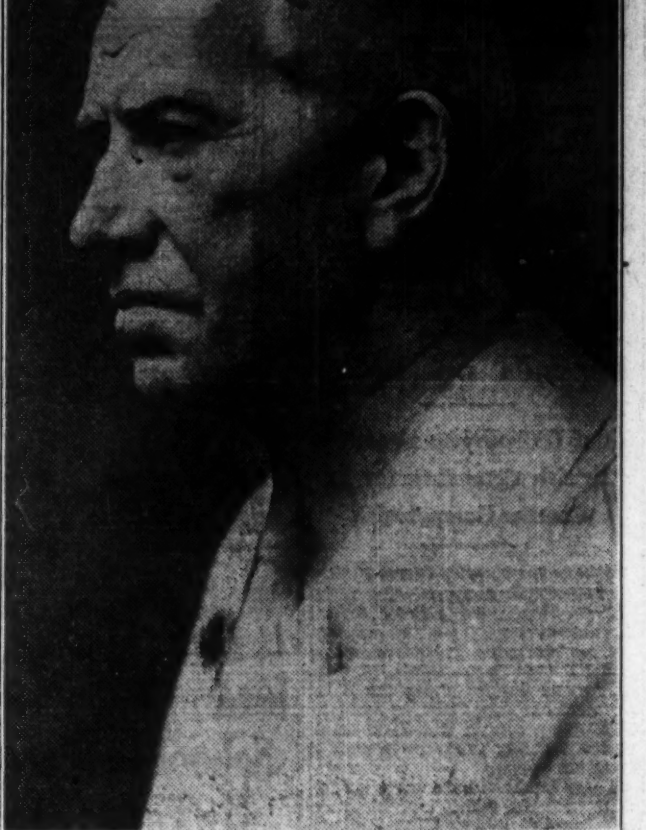
Testimony today showed the securities corporation between February, 1928 and March, 1931, engaged in 35 different trading accounts with an aggregate volume of operations of \$860,000,000.

Mr. Wiggin read a prepared statement at the conclusion of his testimony explaining that Chase Security Corporation operations were designed to steady the stock market in relation to Chase Bank shares, and to get a wider distribution of ownership.

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Dr. John H. Finley in Bronze
Bust Presented to College of the City of New York of Which He
Was Formerly President

Egypt Marks Time on Pact With England

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cluded to support the new Cabinet as long as "it follows the party's policy." And with Sidky Pasha completely dominating the Egyptian Government, a position which the new Cabinet is expected to respect.

Treaty Action Deferred
But despite this conditional support, the situation eventually will result in a disagreement between the new Premier and his predecessor, it is envisaged here.

No doubt is expressed here that the new cabinet, like its predecessor, will try to bring to a successful conclusion the negotiations for an Anglo-Egyptian treaty which has been going on intermittently for years.

It has been asserted that a preliminary agreement has been worked out by Sir Percy Loraine and Sidky Pasha. But others believe that no such treaty arrangements have been made. It is now clear, however, that nothing can be done in this matter until the arrival of the new High Commissioner late in December.

It is pointed out, too, that the British Government declined to sign any treaty unless it is satisfied that the Parliament which accepts the treaty really represents the bulk of Egyptian public opinion. There is still some doubt whether it regards the present Egyptian Parliament in that light.

Party Reconciliation Needed
One of the major difficulties that the new Commissioner faces is that of reconciling between the different political parties existing in Egypt, chief of which is the "Wafd" or Nationalist Party headed by Mustafa Nahaas Pasha, successor to the late Saad Pasha Zaghoul, "Father of Egyptian Independence." This party, with its allies, the Liberals, at present constitutes the opposition.

The party in power is referred to as the "Shaabist" Party, a recently coined designation which means "nationalist." Allied to this party is that of the "Ithadist" or Palace Party which favors what many regard as a virtual dictatorship under King Fuad. The issue between the opposition and the party in power is that the latter abolished the Constitution of 1923 and drew up another in 1930, altogether changing the election methods and other important points.

Elections were held in 1930, according to the new Constitution and the Sidky Pasha Government was supported by a Parliament of its own creation, as the Wafdists, which claim to constitute the overwhelming majority of the population, boycotted the elections. The opposition asserts that the Government only represents a small electorate and consequently refuses to recognize it.

New Elections Expected
Great Britain's refusal to negotiate a treaty with the Sidky Cabinet is held as justifying the Opposition's complaint. It is the opinion here that upon the arrival of the new High Commissioner, he will propose, in an advisory capacity, that a temporary Administrative Cabinet be substituted for the present Government, that new elections be held according to the Constitution of 1930 and form a Government that will enjoy the confidence of the people.

There is an obstacle, however, to such an event taking place, as the Opposition insists on the abolishment of the 1930 Constitution and the reinstatement of that of 1923.

One of the chief problems which faces Sir Miles Lampson, therefore, will be to help the Egyptians arrive at a compromise in order to form a government that will enjoy the full confidence of the nation and be in a position, constitutionally, to negotiate a treaty with Great Britain. It is believed, however, that a great deal depends upon the desire of Great Britain and whether or not it wishes at present to effect a change in the status of Egypt in an international sense.

Torgler Solemnly Denies Testimony Of Three Germans

Defendant in Reichstag
Fire Trial Causes
Sensation

BERLIN, Oct. 27.—Ernst Torgler, former Reichstag whip of the Communist Party, asserted his innocence today. In a courtroom packed with spectators observing the proceedings against five men charged with setting fire to the Reichstag building last February, Torgler cried out against the testimony of three National Socialists.

They had testified to seeing him with Martinus Van Der Lubbe, the Dutch bricklayer who has confessed the crime, on the afternoon before the fire.

Stefan Kroyer, leader of the National Socialist Party at Linz, the third member of the party to indicate a link between Torgler and Van Der Lubbe, told the court he saw the Dutchman walking behind Torgler in the Reichstag Feb. 27, and that later he saw a man sitting with the German Communist on a sofa in the hall of the building.

At the conclusion of his testimony, Torgler arose, asked, and was granted, the court's permission to make a declaration. He declared with solemn earnestness:

"Before Feb. 28 I never either saw or talked to Van Der Lubbe. I never saw nor sat with Popoff. (Blagol Popoff, a Bulgarian co-defendant.) That is the absolute, unmitigated truth."

The date he mentioned was the day after the fire, when Torgler surrendered voluntarily at police headquarters and was confronted with the other defendants.

There was a pause after his declaration. Then Judge Wilhelm Buenger, chief justice of the court, turned solemnly to Kroyer and asked, "You have heard what Torgler said?"

Kroyer was cross-examined and was confronted with another National Socialist's testimony which differed from his own, as well as testimony he had given in previous hearings. He faltered and explained he could not remember details of incident which happened so long ago.

Georg Dimitroff, the Bulgarian defendant who twice has been barred from the court for upsetting its procedure, also attempted to cross-examine Kroyer and ran afoul of Judge Buenger again.

He asked the Linz witness if Austrian National Socialists, barred from their own country, are attempting to carry on their program from Germany.

Judge Buenger dismissed the question and Dimitroff countered:

"When I claimed I worked for Bulgaria while living as an exile in Germany, you doubted that statement, but many hundreds of National Socialists are working illegally in Germany for the Austrian party with forged passes and addresses."

Judge Buenger roared, "Sit down!"

The Reichstag stenographer, Annelies Baumgart, testified that a man she had seen with Torgler on the afternoon before the fire was not Popoff, but a Communist member of the Reichstag, Theodor Neubauer.

Bust of Dr. Finley Unveiled at College Of City of New York

Special from Monitor Bureau
NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—There is a new bust in the Great Hall of City College today, commemorating the work of Dr. John H. Finley, longtime president of the institution, whose ideals of higher education is that colleges should develop citizens of intelligence and high character rather than merely train their students for the professions.

Speaking at ceremonies yesterday, when the bronze bust was unveiled, Dr. Finley declared that his ideal of higher education was unchanged from what it was 24 years ago when he emphasized to students at City College that mere preparation for professional success was not enough. The ceremonies combined observance of Dr. Finley's seventieth birthday with tributes to his achievements as educator and public servant.

"I can assure you it is a most delightful experience to be 70 years old," Dr. Finley said, "and I hope that all of you may live to enjoy this pleasure."

To the students whose classes had been suspended that they might attend the celebration, Dr. Finley said that he could give them no better counsel for happiness than he had given during his presidency of the college.

"I have no better message for you now than I had then," he said. "Read a good book, make a new friend and take a long walk."

Dr. Frederick B. Robinson, president of the college, presided and unveiled the bust. Mr. Mark Eisner, chairman of the Board of Higher Education; Prof. Lewis Freeman Mott, representing the faculty; Dr. Stephen P. Duggan, representing the alumni; and Chancellor James Byrne, of the University of the State of New York, also spoke.

Mailing of Liquor 'Ads' in Dry States Continues Illegal

Special from Monitor Bureau
WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment will not permit mailing of liquor advertisements or solicitation of orders of such liquors where the laws of banded states forbid, according to a statement given out today by the Attorney-General, Mr. Homer S. Cummings.

Under the so-called Reed amendment of March 3, 1913, still in force, the provision was made that no circulars, letters or publications of any kind containing advertisements of spirituous, vinous, malted, fermented or other intoxicating liquors should be carried by the mails or delivered by any postmaster or letter carrier to any person where the law in force forbids solicitation or advertisement of such liquors.

There are at the present time numerous states which have banded laws. The Reed amendment provides that the Postmaster General is authorized and directed to make public from time to time in suitable bulletins or public notices the names of states in which it is unlawful to advertise or solicit sales of liquors.

Atlantic City to Get Depot and Parkway Costing \$4,000,000

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 27.—The long-debated, long-hoped-for \$4,000,000 project of a new union rail station and elimination of grade crossings in this city has finally passed its last obstacle.

Mayor Harry Bacharach, member of the New Jersey Board of Public Utility Commissioners, announced Oct. 25 that the board had approved plans and given its order for the work, which will be finished by the end of 1934. It is expected to start within 30 days and employ 1000 men.

The building will face Arctic Avenue between Missouri and Arkansas Avenues, a block back of the Reading terminal, whose site will be made into a plaza. Trains will enter the new depot over eight tracks, with platforms 1400 feet long.

Arkansas and Missouri Avenues on each side of the station will be widened to 100 feet. Arctic Avenue also will be widened in front of the station. Baltic Avenue will be closed.

The project includes eliminating 16 grade crossings in Atlantic City proper.

The Pennsylvania Railroad right-of-way will become a 60-foot automobile parkway connecting through the crosswise streets with Absecon Boulevard, thus absorbing much of the incoming highway stream and leading it into Atlantic at New York Avenue.

New Jersey will pay half the cost of the station, Mayor Bacharach said. The Pennsylvania-Reading Seashore Lines, recently formed by merging the Pennsylvania and Reading railroads in south Jersey, pay the other half, being reimbursed by the United States Public Works Administration for 30 per cent of its labor and materials costs. Atlantic City taxpayers will not have to contribute even for the new boulevard or widenings.

Sherwin-Williams Net
CLEVELAND, Oct. 27.—Sherwin-Williams Company's preliminary statement for the third quarter of 1933 shows a net profit after charges, equivalent after dividend requirements of 8 per cent preferred to \$234 a share (on 1931 net of \$3.95) of common, compared with a net in the preceding fiscal year of \$102,786, equal to \$4.51 a share on 18,571 shares of 8 per cent preferred.

Eckener's Success With Graf Due to Knowledge of Weather

That, He Says, and a Fine Ship and Fine Crew
Together With Excellent German and American
Meteorological Stations

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
AKRON, Ohio, Oct. 27.—"One of the great secrets of Dr. Hugo Eckener's almost phenomenal record of flights on schedule time, in all weather, is the fact that not only is he the greatest meteorologist in the world but his second in command, Capt. Ernst Lehmann, is the best mixture of aviator and captain combined that I have ever seen."

And what is more, there are half a dozen of the older officers who are expert meteorologists."

It was M. Charles Dolfuss, famed French balloonist and head of the Aviation Museum in Paris, who landed at Akron from the Graf Zeppelin, speaking, Commander Eckener in a genial mood entered the room as he spoke.

"Tell us how you do it?" he was asked by Mr. Dolfuss. "How even you beat the record of surface ships in reliability of trip schedule across from Europe to South America, how you avoid the troubles which other airships have in storms?"

"Weather maps just as you have in this country," he replied. "We contact by radio at all times in our transatlantic crossings, first our own wonderful weather station, the Seewarte at Hamburg, then your station at Arlington which gives weather all over North America. Of course going to South America and over South America we have to depend more on local stations, and the weather reports from ships at sea, since there is no large weather station on that continent. But we can draw on our knowledge of weather conditions, observed through long months of study and travel over that continent, and then of course the weather is much more equable there than it is here."

"Our helmsman is constantly studying the charts, and three or four times a day he gets a report, which he compares with his own excellent knowledge of meteorology and the result is almost perfect."

Even storms bring no fear, for after judging the storm, and finding out whether it is electrical by nature, or not, they immediately plot their course accordingly, Dr. Eckener says. They usually rise through storms unless lightning is seen, in which case they scrupulously avoid them.

"The little storm we had on our way to Akron this week went over what we call storms at all," interposed big blonde young Mr. Knut Eckener. He, by the way, was the hero on the first American voyage of the Graf who climbed out to fix the broken fin in the midst of what he would probably call a "real storm."

Young Mr. Eckener is at present superintendent of construction of the new German dirigible, sister ship to the Graf, which will have all the comforts of home, as he expresses it. The new ship, which is being built at Friedrichshafen, will be ready for its first test flight a year from this time, he stated.

Dr. Eckener's movements are always surprisingly quick for such a large man. He suddenly sprang from his chair, deciding the interview was over.

"That is enough," he said. "Tell them that it is to two things we owe our fine success. One, well-trained men—who know their winds and weather. The other a fine ship. We can never improve on the Graf."

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Hugenberg Entry In Reich Election Surprises Berlin

Returns Nationalist Chief
to Politics—Archbishop
Appeals to Voters

By Press Wireless from Monitor Bureau
BERLIN, Oct. 27.—Today's published list of the first 10 candidates put forward for the Nov. 12 election includes not only prominent National Socialist Party members, but in addition the names of Herr Franz von Papen and Dr. Alfred Hugenberg.

That Herr von Papen's name should appear is regarded as natural in view of the close cooperation between Chancellor Adolf Hitler and the Vice-Chancellor during recent months. But Dr. Hugenberg's name is more surprising, particularly since as leader of the now extinct German Nationalist Party he has withdrawn absolutely from politics after he was replaced as Minister of Economy and Agriculture in the early summer.

In connection with the coming election and the 450th anniversary of Martin Luther, which falls on Nov. 10, the Evangelical Archbishop, Dr. Ludwig Müller, in a pronouncement today, after appreciation of Luther's great work, enthusiastically supports Chancellor Hitler's appeal for national unity at the coming election. The pronouncement said:

"We German Evangelical Christians regard the salvation of our nation through our leader, Adolf Hitler, as a gift from God. We agree with our whole heart that the Chancellor defends the life and honor of the nation. We are one with him in his true and genuine will to peace toward all other nations on earth. It is in thanksgiving and obedience to God that we stand steadfast and unbroken with our Government in its fight for the honor and freedom of our people."

Accordingly Dr. Müller requests that pastors in all Evangelical communities throughout Germany should impress upon their congregations their duty to the fatherland on Nov. 12, using every opportunity, including religious services and church celebrations, for this purpose.

Archbishop Müller's pronouncement ends with an appeal to all Christians in which he summons them to a flaming protest against "the power of such anti-Christian spirit of lies and untruth" that promised Germany it would disarm, but continually broke faith, that "talked peace, but meant war."

Lopez Going to Conference
BOGOTA, Columbia, Oct. 27 (By U. P.).—Alfonso Lopez, chairman of the Liberal Party, announced today he would be a Colombian delegate to the seventh Pan-American Conference, leaving here in mid-November, after the party proclaims his candidacy for President.

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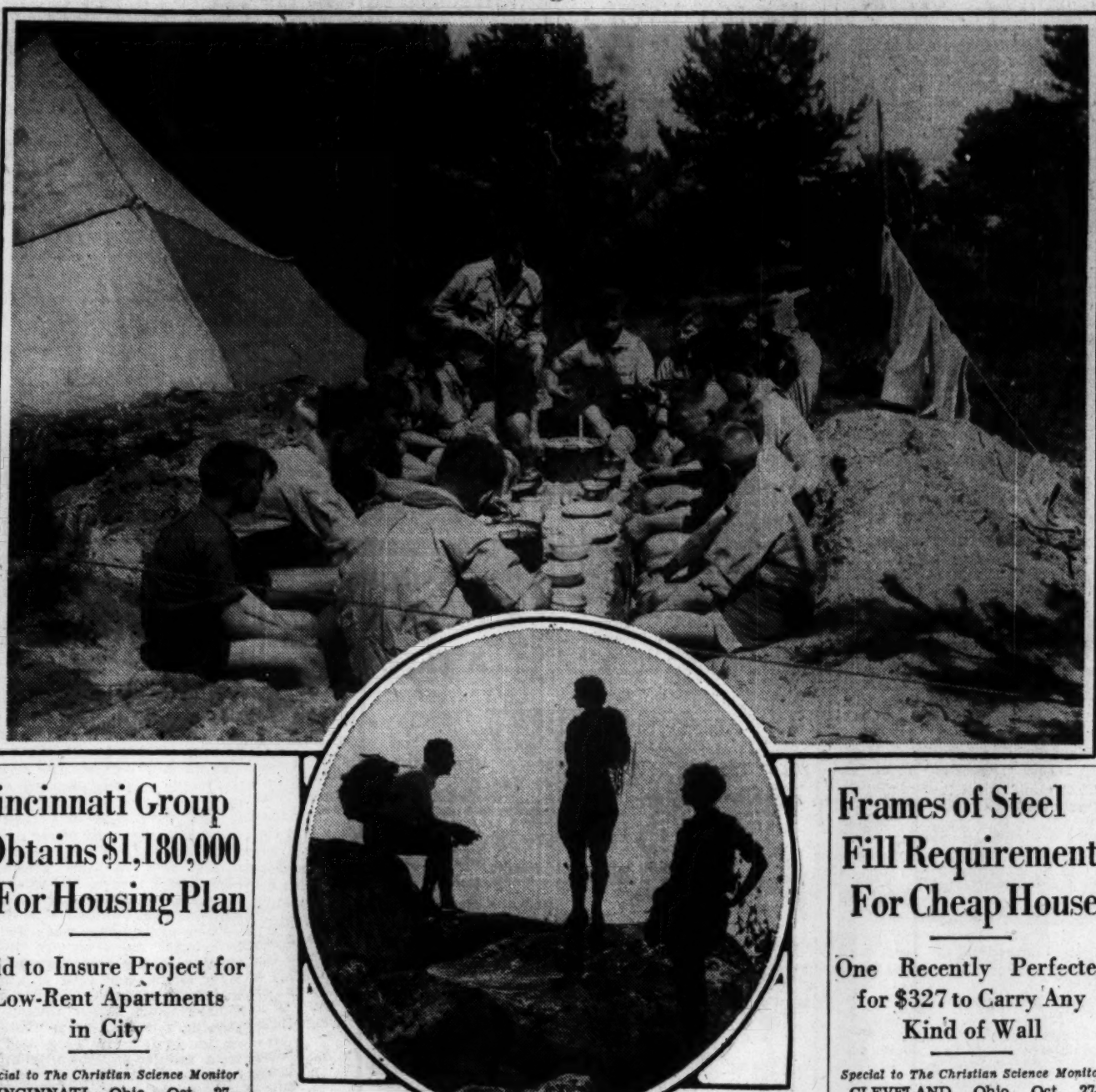
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New Leisure Sends Thousands Back To Primitive Pleasures

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during the long summer vacation. There are a number of such camps near Istanbul and Ismir. The teachers are allowed to take their families with them.

The camps are under the auspices of the Government and provide not only opportunities for land and sea sports, but a certain amount of military training. Camper students passing an examination both in sports and military subjects are entitled to claim exemption from part of the normal military service.

Whereas a camp in the United States often means a comfortable house with electric light and other appliances of civilization, in Europe it generally involves canvas tents and military subjects are entitled to claim exemption from part of the normal military service.

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Special to THE Christian Science Monitor
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Very many of the cyclists are people who could afford at least a motorcycle if not a motorcar. The fact is they like the exercise. The

loss of speed is a secondary consideration.

Censuses of wheeled vehicles on English roads for one day of August 1925, 1926 and 1931 show that in some of the roads leading out of London there were actually more bicycles than motors and horse-drawn vehicles put together. While this is exceptional it is estimated that there are at least 7,000,000 bicycles in England at present. Some put the figure as high as 11,000,000. The majority of machines are single seaters, but the number of tandems has increased tremendously in the past four or five years.

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Hull Gets Time To See Litvinoff By Delaying Trip

Will Visit West Coast of
South America After
Trade Conference

Special from Monitor Bureau
WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—In honor of Mr. Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Cordell Hull, American Secretary of State, will not start for the Montevideo Pan-American Conference on Nov. 5, as he has hoped, but on Nov. 11.

In the interval, the contacts which President Roosevelt will be having with Mr. Litvinoff will be enhanced and supplemented by the assistance of the Secretary of State. For Mr. Hull to have been absent from the country during the Soviet visit would have constituted a breach in diplomatic etiquette of some magnitude.

Making this announcement, although he did not pointedly indicate that his change of plans was on account of Mr. Litvinoff, but admitted that had something to do with it—Mr. Hull formally confirmed previous reports that he actually would go to Montevideo.

He also said that a woman delegate was seriously under consideration by President Roosevelt, anxious to follow Mr. Hoover's precedent in appointing Dr. Mary E. Woolley to the Geneva Disarmament Conference delegation.

Because of the Litvinoff visit Mr. Hull will not be able to carry out his goal of visiting West Coast Latin-American capitals on his way to Montevideo, but will fulfill these plans on the return visit.

Litvinoff Entrain
For American Trip
MOSCOW, Oct. 27 (P)—Mr. Maxim Litvinoff, to whom all Russia looks for the attainment of American recognition, was on his way to the United States today in an atmosphere of utmost secrecy.

The crowds which gladly would have cheered him off on the all-important journey to Washington were barred from the railroad station. Hours after he had slipped away behind closely drawn shades on the Berlin train, it was impossible to learn whether his English-born wife had accompanied him.

To the time of his unheralded departure, he refused to break the silence in which he has locked his ideas about the forthcoming negotiations.

Accompanying him were Mr. C. Oumanski, chief of the Foreign Office press section, and Mr. Ivan A. Divlikovski, secretary of the Foreign Office collegium.

Children Need Aid, Librarian Declares

Special to THE Christian Science Monitor
BIRMINGHAM, Eng.—A librarian who is really a friend, and a department which is really a children's department, should be found in every public library.

Miss T. E. Callender, who was formerly children's librarian at Bethnal Green, London, stressed this point when speaking before the summer school of librarians held here at the end of August. Young people, said Mrs. Callender, are in need of a booky friend to whom they can turn in the certainty of getting helpful advice.

Mrs. Callender believes that librarians should fight shy of books which have a definite bias, and of propagandist tendencies. The possession, she said, of such volumes as "Peter Pan," "Ezra's Fables," the "Little Women" series, "Treasure Island," are, to a public library, extremely valuable, and copies of them should be duplicated as the demand increases, even if this is done at the expense of more books.

Taken on the whole, Mrs. Callender considers that the most popular writers of juvenile fiction are those who can produce stories of an exciting character. Boys, she said, are more discriminating in their reading than girls, who incline rather toward quantity than quality.

Tennessee to Get Aid Without Legislature

Special to THE Christian Science Monitor
NASHVILLE, Tenn.—Tennessee is not able to support an extra session of the Legislature to provide for the matching of federal relief funds, and no extra session will be called, Gov. Hill McAllister declares, despite urgings from various sources and advice from the Tennessee Advisory Board on Federal Public Works.

Governor McAllister announced his decision following a conference with Mr. Harry L. Hopkins, relief administrator in Washington. Although Mr. Hopkins on a recent visit to this State declared that Tennessee must produce \$2,000,000 if it wished to receive its quota of relief funds, he agreed during the Washington conference that \$5,000,000 will be given the State for the \$500,000 which is already available.

Opponents of the McAllister decision declare that an extra session is necessary to permit acts of the State to make charter modifications and pass enabling acts that will empower them to secure full participation in relief fund benefits.

Oregon Introduces
Courses in Religion
Special to THE Christian Science Monitor
EUGENE, Ore.—Courses in religion, non-sectarian in spirit and sponsored by a volunteer group, are offered on the University of Oregon campus this fall for the first time. It is announced by Dr. Earl M. Paley, executive secretary and registrar, Prof. E. W. Warrington, who will also head a similar department on the Oregon State College campus at Corvallis, is in charge of the instruction.

The group sponsoring the courses believe the students should have an opportunity to study religion on the same scholarly basis as every course in the curriculum. Full credit is given for courses.

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Pioneer Paper of Mining Camp Recalls Days of 72 Years Ago

Regularity of Editions of Register-Call of Central
City, Colo., Depended Much on Indians
and Supply of Newsprint

Special to THE Christian Science Monitor
CENTRAL CITY, Colo.—The recent seventy-second anniversary of the Central City Register-Call, signalized by the reprinting of some of the momentous news of its past, reminded many in this region that when the great saga of what were possibly the most glamorous times this nation has known is written, this newspaper will undoubtedly furnish a goodly share of the information needed.

Entwined in the black type of its pages are the boom of blasting explosions of mining, the sharp crack of rifle fire, rustle of rich silks, sparkle of gems, and a culture that was strange in a cold, hard-rock mining camp nearly two miles above the sea in a high and shallow Rocky Mountain valley.

Founded in September of 1861 by Messrs. Collier and Wells, the Register-Call came into the hands of Mr. G. M. Laird in 1878. Mr. Laird still "makes up" his sheet, now a weekly, on the vast old printer's stones that formed a good portion of the load carried by one of the earliest covered wagons.

Quite early the Register-Call discovered that its publishing depended upon the vagaries of itinerant printers, the delays of ox-team freighting, and attack by Indians. This latter constituted a very real menace and quite frequently in those first days caused the paper to appear in strange and peculiar guise. Its size, its shape and general looks depended entirely on the sort of newsprint its owners could successfully get past the marauding red men.

Several issues appeared on common brown wrapping paper, borrowed from local merchants, and because of the limited quantity available it was only a four-column newspaper, instead of the usual seven. Then an order of paper arrived for an eight-column paper, so a generous margin was provided.

Fortunately, some of the most interesting editions, from the standpoint of contents, were printed on the highest quality rag paper and are, therefore, perfectly preserved for present-day perusal.

Despite these handicaps of printing a paper in a roaring mining camp for complete, as a modern day publisher would view it. A year's subscription cost readers \$25, a single copy cost 25 cents. Advertising was proportionately high and on Saturday, April 29, 1865, the publisher's dream was realized when the entire first printing was sold out completely to advertisers.

Those were heydays for all merchants. Flour sold for \$22 per 100 pounds, coal oil at \$5.50 a gallon and a box of candles, like the miners used, cost \$25.

Virtually all the merchants and banks had a line in their advertisements to the effect that they "bought and sold gold dust." Gold and silver of fabulous value was daily blasted from the bowels of adobe mountains and flowed freely along Eureka and Main Streets at night. But the men and women of old Central City had interests that reached beyond mining and money.

From all over the West came men and women to the "Little Kingdom of Gilpin County," as Central City was often called, to do their shopping. The finest and smartest merchandise in the region was on display in the store windows.

And on April 23, 1873, in the full

Jobs Found for Indians
In Southern California
Special to THE Christian Science Monitor
SAN DIEGO, Calif.—Unemployment is a thing of the past on the reservations of the Mission Indians in southern California. Mr. John W. Dady, superintendent, has announced.

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Labor Has Broad Plan of Action In Mexican Program

Part in Six-Year-Plan Based on 23 Points of Application

Special to The Christian Science Monitor
MEXICO, D. F.—What will Mexican labor ask for in the Six-Year-Plan which is now being formulated by the National Revolutionary Party and the Federal Administration as a "governmental economic budget of action" for the next presidential term, beginning Dec. 1, 1934?

A survey of the work of the recent congress of labor syndicates in Mexico City reveals 23 outstanding points, which will form a basis for this portion of the "plan" as follows:

Immediate revision of the federal labor laws to provide full strike rights, compulsory closed shop, abolition of "white" unions formed by employers, 44-hour week, drastic restriction of overtime, pay for one day of rest weekly, collective contracts, minimum salary, social insurance and educational opportunities for employees.

Laws to protect tenants.
Revision of the tax system to approach as nearly as possible the single tax.

Heavy taxes for migratory and absentee capital.

Restriction of immigration of those who represent competition against Mexican labor and suspension of naturalization, excepting Spaniards and Hispano-Americans.

Fiscal protection for national industries.

Federal legislation for social insurance.

State intervention in production and distribution of wealth, including facilitation of means whereby peasants may obtain seeds, implements and other farm needs, and establishment of inexpensive methods of distribution.

Socialization of industries and commerce which cannot adjust themselves to the new standards.

State control of prices for basic articles of consumption and limitation of wealth.

State control of credit institutions and foreign exchange.

Elimination of the "false" small industrialist, who serves no economic function except "to increase ultimate cost of articles."

Socialization of land, assuring laborer fruits of his work.

Rationalization of education and free and compulsory secondary education.

Regulation of professions, protecting those who at public cost have obtained degrees, and socialization of professional services for the welfare of society.

Energetic prosecution of all private monopolies.

Intervention of labor representatives in formulation of laws, regulations.

Establishment of hospitals in the workers' residential sections.

Founding of "shop-schools" and academies for practical-theoretical instruction in the industrial centers.

Construction of homes for laborers by the Government, acquirable by easy payments.

Fomenting of physical education and establishment of athletic fields.

Bonding of employers to guarantee carrying out of terms of collective contracts.

"Application of severest penalties to those in charge of administration of justice who pervert or ridicule the sacred rights of humble."

Sugar Melt Holds Steady

NEW YORK, Oct. 26 (AP)—The sugar melt to 13 United States refiners from Jan. 1 to Oct. 14 totaled 2,148,000 long tons compared with 2,155,000 during the like period last year, the Sugar Institute, Inc., reports. Deliveries for the corresponding time were 2,950,000 tons compared with 2,933,000 last year.

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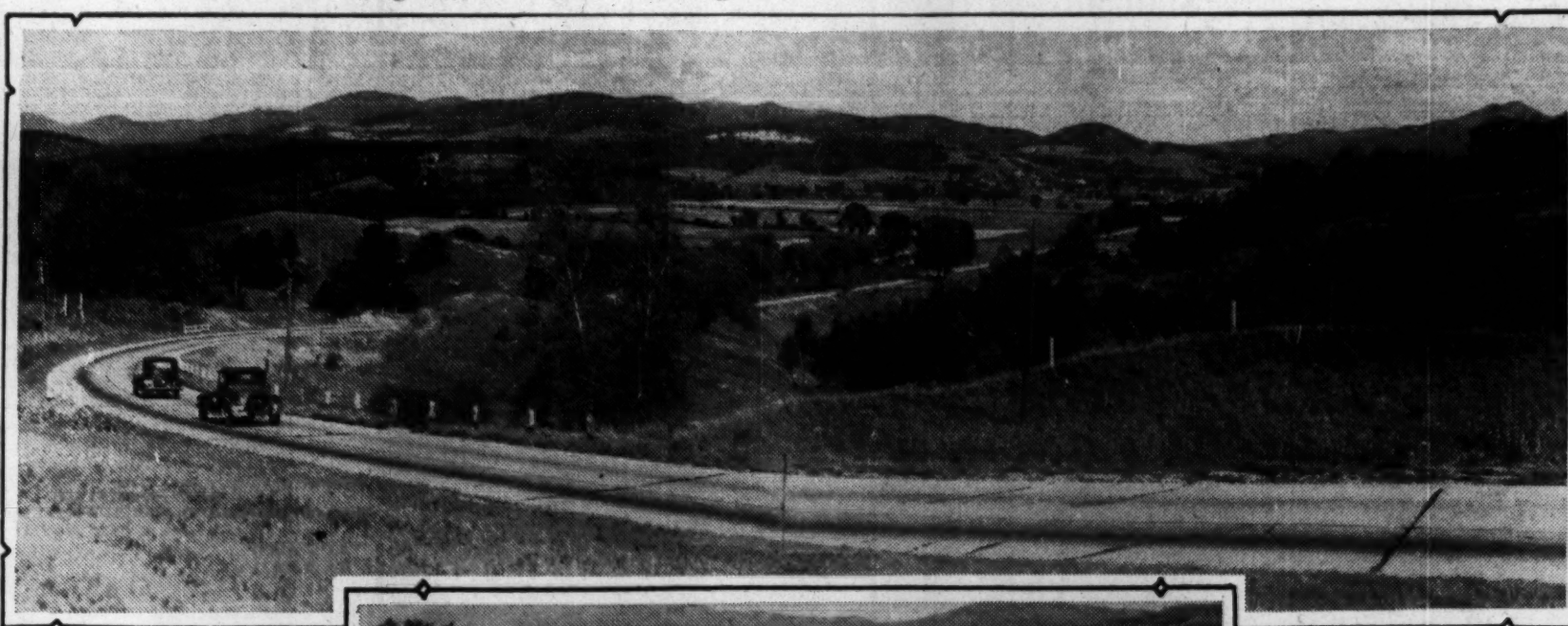
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Rolling Hills and Winding Roads Greet Tourist in Vermont



Mail Subsidies Helped Company To Bank Surplus

Former Steamship Head Tells Story of Profits on 'Shoestring'

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26—Closely

paralleling the Administration's

campaign against excessive salaries

in business, the Senate Committee

Investigating Ocean and Air Mail

Contracts, had today placed on its

record some glamorous tales of

steamship companies' profits so ex-

cessive that they will undoubtedly

add to the expected demand in Con-

gress for a limiting of private sal-

aries and profits.

Illuminating information on the

Columbia Steamship Company, lat-

est victim on the inquisitorial list,

was elicited from Mr. H. C. Pear-

sall, its former vice-president, and

general manager, by Senator Hugo

L. Black, (D.) of Alabama, chair-

man of the committee.

"This amazing story began with

the recounting of the purchase in

1923 of six ships from the Govern-

ment at \$78,000 each, or a total of

\$468,000. Mr. Pearlsall stated that

the total cash investment was

\$367,500.

On this modest "shoestring," the

Columbia Steamship Company, op-

erating ships to West Indian and

Caribbean ports, was soon doing

quite well. In the first year, 1923, it

put \$60,017 aside in a surplus ac-

count. Continuing to do this every

year it had built up a total surplus

by the end of 1932 of \$1,055,832, four

times the original investment in 10

years. The surplus in 1932 was \$119,-

358, despite business conditions.

But this wasn't all. From 1925 to

1929 dividends totaling \$389,175 were

paid out. There was also a stock

dividend of \$150,000 in 1926.

Senator Black asked if the divi-

dends and surplus came from ac-

tual earnings. Mr. Pearlsall said

they did as it was not until the

spring of 1930 that the company's

mail contract went into operation.

However, from then on the company

has drawn a total of \$844,838.50

from the Government for carrying

mail, as follows: 1930—\$183,420, 1931—

\$272,275, 1932—\$324,322, 1933—(for

part of year only) \$165,070.

As to another source of income,

Mr. Pearlsall testified that the com-

pany had paid the Shipping Board

\$10,000 for the steamship Haiti,

which had originally cost the Gov-

ernment \$1,000,000. The Columbia

Split Is Reported In Farm Strikers In Southwest Iowa

By the Associated Press

Disension apparently has entered

the ranks of some farmers in the

strike called by the National Farm-

ers' Association to boost prices.

An antiholiday association was

the object of a group of southwest-

ern Iowa farmers. They met at

Glenwood and took preliminary

steps Thursday to form an organi-

zation whose business would be to

keep farm products going to mar-

ket. Meanwhile in Wisconsin, where

the Cooperative Milk Pool went

ahead with preparations for a milk

embargo, more dairies were closed

and others were expected to shut

down later.

The milk pool embargo, scheduled

to start Tuesday, was opposed by

the directors of the Milwaukee Co-

operative Producers' Association.

Other developments were:

The executive committee of the

Iowa Farm Bureau Federation ap-

proved the Administration's corn-

hog reduction program, offering aid.

Opposition to picketing was de-

clared by the executive board of

the Nebraska Farmers' Holiday As-

sociation. National Guardsmen de-

fined by Sheriff William DeMoss of

Mills County to keep open a bridge

over the Missouri River at Port-

smouth, Neb., were withdrawn.

Arkansas Asks Time To Meet Road Bonds

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 27 (AP)—

Formal notice from the State of

Pennsylvania that it would seek

through action in the United States

Supreme Court to force Arkansas

to meet its highway bond require-

ments brought an answer yesterday

that if a Federal Court injunction

is dissolved and funds are released,

this State will pay the interest on

bonds held by other states.

Pennsylvania holds \$200,000 of

Arkansas highway bonds, which are

included in the \$146,000,000 of road

obligations which the 1933 Legisla-

ture sought to refund by exchang-

ing them for 25-year 3 per cent

bonds.

The bill of complaint, a copy of

which was sent to Mr. Norwood,

would seek to require Arkansas to

increase its gasoline and motor

license taxes to produce at least

\$7,500,000 a year to apply on the

bonded debt. In a telegraphic reply,

Mr. Norwood asked the Pennsyl-

vania attorney-general to give

Full Statements On Installment Rates Proposed

Consumers' Board Starts Drive to Protect Public Against Usury

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The

Consumers' Advisory Board of the

NRA was today launched on a cam-

paign to secure some protection for

the public against concealment of

the high cost of installment and

credit buying.

Having yesterday proposed an

amendment to the fair competition

code for finance corporations, re-

quiring a full statement of the in-

terest rates the purchaser must pay

for credit, they sought the support

of consumers' organizations today.

An appeal has been made to the

American Federation of Labor on

the ground that it represents the

largest group of organized consum-

ers and members of the board ex-

pressed themselves, after conferring

with officials of the federation, as

believing that labor would endorse

the plan. In addition, a special com-

mittee of the board has been set up

to deal with consumers' credit.

The board's proposed amendment

would prohibit finance corporations

from accepting installment paper

paid by the retailer unless the in-

terest charges which the consumer

pays are clearly stated in the con-

tract. It is the contention of con-

sumers' groups supporting the mea-

sure that present financing practices

conceal the interest charges being

paid by the installment buyer and

even make it impossible for the

buyer to determine what the charges

are. They claim that in many cases

interest as high as 80 per cent is

paid.

Considerable opposition has de-

veloped against the move of the

board. Representatives of financing

corporations maintain first that

credit contracts are the business of

the retailer and not of the financier,

and second, that it would be ille-

gal to require merchants to make

public all facts regarding their

prices.

The consumers' board maintains,

on the other hand, that the corpo-

rations are aware that their present

practices are "unfair" and that

the proposed amendment to the

code would bring out the fact that

they have been operating in viola-

tion of laws prohibiting usury.

Adoption of the amendment would

make it mandatory for a merchant

Civilization Growth Is Called Trend To Self-Determination

The criterion of the growth of a

civilization is not its conquest of its

environment, but the progress with

in

Women's Activities · Fashions · Foods

Meals for Our Children

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

WHEN parents entertain, there is an early repast with which to reckon. In the midst of party preparations, the children are as hungry as usual and need a substantial meal which mother has had the forethought to prepare.

It is not convenient nor always advisable to give the children the same menu the guests are to receive. The roast or main dish and vegetables should not be done even a half hour ahead of time if the guests are to enjoy these articles at their best. But soup stock may be made from bouillon cubes or canned soup may be used. Vegetables to be used in salad are usually cooked beforehand and a portion of these—potatoes, celery and so forth—may be diced and added to soup stock. Thus soup is made very easily and may serve as the main part of the children's meal. Or on a very hot night, the vegetables may be made into a salad. The children always enjoy a few olives or some other treat from the guest menu. Should mother be serving a frozen dessert, or a sherbet with the meal course, she may allow the children to finish their meal with a serving of either.

Children love sweets, but they should be served sparingly because otherwise they will destroy an appetite for more nourishing foods less attractive in flavor. In this instance jelly or jam with cookies completes the dessert and balances the menu. This could be one menu:

Vegetable Soup Peanut Butter Sandwiches
Olives Cookies Milk
Orange Ice

With a cold salad, it is well to serve hot cocoa. After baking a fancy cake or similar dessert for company, the retained heat of the oven may be used for baking custards. (It is a good plan to keep a

When the Parents Entertain

bowl of custard in the refrigerator to meet any emergency.) This is a good menu to serve the children:

Mixed Vegetable Salad Cottage Cheese
Bread and Butter Hot Cocoa
Baked Custard or Ice Cream Sugar Cookies

Mixed Vegetable Salad

Wash and cut up
Celery to make ½ cup
Carrots, raw or cooked to make ½ cup
String beans and
Peas to make about ½ cup each.
Other vegetables may be substituted, but if any are new to the children, only small amounts should be used. Mix together.

Add dressing of

2 tablespoons lemon juice,
3 tablespoons salad oil, beaten together and seasoned with
¼ teaspoon salt

Dash of paprika. Serve salad on lettuce. Cottage cheese is a good accompaniment to this salad.

Serves 3 or 4 children.

Baked Custard

Beat together in the baking dish
6 egg yolks or 3 whole eggs
¾ cup sugar
¼ pint milk
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon vanilla. Add a dash of

Nutmeg across the top. To insure a smooth texture, set dish in a pan of hot water if the oven registers 300 deg. F. or above. If below that temperature, the pan of water will not be needed. Bake slowly at temperature of about 200 deg. F. until set, nearly an hour.

Test with a knife. If the blade comes clean, the custard is done. Chill.

Dishless Meal

Another interesting meal to be served Sunday evenings, or when parents are entertaining, is called a "dishless meal," or a "dishless meal," and it is all that the name implies. This meal may be eaten in the breakfast nook.

The sandwiches are wrapped in paper napkins, which, when unfolded, may serve as plates. Hardboiled or deviled eggs or perhaps small cubes of cheese, can be supported and manipulated by toothpicks. Rabbit lettuce and raw carrot strips are served as celery hearts would be.

Well-washed fruit, such as plums, bananas, oranges and strawberries with hulls left on, may be prepared and eaten by the children. At the conclusion of a no-dish meal, crumbs and fruit peelings, seeds, etc., may be wrapped in the paper napkins and carried away from the table. Milk glasses are rinsed and set aside to be washed next day. A tempting and well-balanced dishless meal can be so easily served that even the adults will enjoy it. Here are three "dishless meals":

No-Dish Meals

Shredded cabbage and carrot sandwiches
Deviled eggs Young onions
Milk Bananas

Whole wheat rolls Cheese
Lemonade Grapes Little cakes

Meat loaf sandwiches Milk
Celery Puffed cookies Ice cream cones

FLORIS CULVER THOMPSON.
(Other articles in this series have appeared July 21, 28, Aug. 25 and Sept. 13.)

Butternut Pies

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

By IRVING D. APPLEBY

It has always been my contention that Vermont is outstanding as a land of good things to eat. Hikers who travel the Long Trail, stopping off at farmhouses which cater to their trade, are unanimous in their praise of the delightful home cooking they have enjoyed along the route. Riders of the winding State Bridge Path stopping for the night at various hosteries, would forget even the glorious mountain scenery before memories of Vermont culinary skill persisted.

Chief among the odd but wholesome delicacies served in tiny country inns, as well as in many hospitable homes, are the rich "open-faced" pies made with the finely chopped meats of various meats. These most commonly used are the butternuts, but walnuts and hickory nuts are also used extensively. Even the tiny three-cornered beechnuts, cracked and picked clean with slow painstaking labor, are sometimes used. Occasionally some ambitious cook with a flair for originality, will produce a pie made from three or more varieties mixed, and if you ask a connoisseur of the pie-making art which of these is his favorite, he will groan with bitter-sweet memory, roll his eyes and exclaim, "All of them."

And with this decision the writer most fervently agrees.

A Square Meal

Scientific chemists who enjoy taking honest food apart and calculating the so-called energies and powers of it, ascribe to nut meat pies a score of over 4000 calories, higher than smoked ham, beef, eggs, milk and any other high-energy foods. The writer simply knows that a generous helping of butternut pie is not only a thrilling experience but a square meal in itself. Restaurants which charge 10 cents for an ordinary serving of apple, lemon or mince pie, charge 15 to 25 cents for an equal portion of butternut, and the customer pays the price with a joyous smile. It is with considerable satisfaction that we offer herewith recipes from two women away up under the shadow of Jay Peak. The first is a model of brevity and might have come from the pen of a Coolidge.

To
¼ cup of milk add
½ cup of cream
a scant ¼ of a cup of sugar
2 well-beaten eggs and
1 cup of nut meats, chopped fine.

Bake between two crusts.

And we rise to remark: "Who could imagine that such a delectable thing as a butternut pie could be created with such simplicity?"

Another Delicious Recipe

The second leaves no stone un-



Children Always Enjoy a Treat From the Guest Menu

turned to assure success.

Heat in a double boiler
1½ cups of milk. Mix
2 tablespoons of cornstarch
4 tablespoons of brown sugar
a pinch of salt, with
½ cup of milk. Add
1 well-beaten egg; then add these ingredients to the heated milk, stirring constantly till thoroughly thickened. Remove from the fire, add
1 cup finely chopped butternut or mixed nut meats and
1 teaspoon of vanilla. Place in a prepared pastry shell or in small individual shells, when ready to serve.

One dear old lady, when interviewed on this subject began with, "Well, first you call the men in and have them crack and pick the nuts." Perhaps this is a pretty good idea too, and I recommend that it be incorporated in all such recipes in the future.

"Taxi, Sir?"

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

One of the taxicab stands in a western city was abandoned and it was several days before patrons of that particular neighborhood (it was in the university district, some little distance from the heart of the city) learned that the small taxicab company had gone out of business. Two women, temporarily out of jobs got together and stepped into the breach. Each of them owned her own closed car.

After securing the required licenses and insurance they stationed themselves at the "stand," establishing a third member of their household at the telephone. Their apartment was in plain sight of the telephone stand, and they soon had a system of wig-wagging (at night they flashed the electric lights) so that little time was lost between the

receiving of telephone calls and the driver getting on the way to her fare.

They charged the usual taxi rate. They had a fundamental rule which under no circumstances did they break. When a phone call for a taxi came in, they took down the address, estimated the distance, and in that manner were able closely to gauge the "time." Therefore, they could unfailingly promise "I can send a car in ten minutes, but not sooner." They kept their promises. They never talked to a "fare," unless spoken to; they kept their cars well-oiled, in spotless shape, with plenty of rugs (even cushions). They reported at the end of the first month that their "ups" were a surprisingly cheering feature. Three women, each of whom was out of work, are engaged in a fairly profitable and pleasant service.

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To Be Continued—or Not

A SUCCESSFUL novelist must sometime find himself in a dilemma. He has written a novel that has been enthusiastically received. He has created a set of characters that he himself loves and that many of his ardent public assure him by word of mouth, and by flattering letters and still more flattering purchases, ought to be perpetuated. His publishers tell him the same thing. Write another novel about the same characters, they say before the world has swept along to something else and forgotten them.

The novelist listens and consents. His own inclination, his desire to please, his business sense, all lead him that way. Then the new book, the sequel, the second of the series, comes out, and the novelist listens some more. He hears praise. He gets compliments. The sales are good. But to his oh, so sensitive ear the praise lacks the touch of startled, warm enthusiasm that heartened him so much before. The compliments are conventional; some of them are warmed over from the comments made on the earlier book.

Is it really as good, or is it not? How much of this attitude—not exactly apathy, because everybody reads the new book—but a cooling off of fervent admiration, comes from some lack in the quality of the book itself, and how much from the fact that it is almost impossible for anyone to be surprised twice by the same thing?

Galsworthy's "Forsyte Saga" definitely set the fashion for family chronicles in three-decker length or more. It is generally believed that Mr. Galsworthy did not intend a work of saga magnitude when he wrote the first volume, "The Man of Property." But when, with "In Chancery," he took up the fortunes of the Forsyte family again, he was beginning to have a somewhat definite plan for an unfolding reel of prosperous English upper middle-class family life. This he carried out in that novel and in "To Let." By the time these had been read, his public was asking for more about the Forsytes; and the Forsytes themselves, vigorous, possessive, and numerous, were demanding of his heart and brain for further existence. He had created them, and he must let them live.

So he did. He went on and on, with not perfectly even quality, but with a remarkable degree of genuinely creative progression in the development of Forsyte experience.

To these the public remained loyal throughout, although many of his warm admirers concede that the first three taken as a unit—"The Man of Property," "In Chancery," and "To Let"—are the cream of the entire Saga.

Among English-speaking writers of family chronicles, Galsworthy's position is unique. The Norwegian,

Sigrid Undset, occupies a similar position. Each novel in her trilogy, "Kristin Lavransdatter," each novel in her tetralogy, "The Master of Hestviken," was warmly received, and treated as a literary event. There are three reasons for this. One, that her medieval scene is unusual, and profoundly authentic; another, that her public consists of those who read thoughtfully and are not greatly swayed by passing enthusiasms and a desire for novelty; and still another, that both chronicles, her trilogy and her tetralogy, had a central theme and a plan, to which each novel contributed a definite stage of development. Though each novel was complete, the reader did not get the whole story or the whole thesis, until he reached the end of the final volume. That fact has much to do with the sustaining of the interest.

The effect of Mazo de la Roche's *Jalna* chronicle has been different, just as the plan has been different. The first novel in that sequence, *Jalna*, struck the reading world as a glad and glorious surprise. There was something breath-taking in the vigor and vividness with which that fiery, wrangling, individualistic, yet intensely clan-conscious family of Whiteoaks were presented. Here was an entirely new set of characters. The reader had never seen anything exactly like them before. They excited and delighted him.

Miss de la Roche was praised to the skies, and quite naturally impelled to go on with the Whiteoaks. She has done so to the tune of "Whiteoaks of Jalna," "Finch's Fortune," and "Master of Jalna," with the stage set for still another volume. The family, in the main, has developed logically, but many readers can never recapture the feeling they had for the first of the four books. For one thing, there seem to be no really fresh variations on those inimitable family scenes, which were the high spots in "Jalna." In the second place, as the story goes on the old people, in whose creation Miss de la Roche was most successful, disappear or fade farther and farther into the background. In the third place—a less essential consideration, since plot is of minor importance in a family chronicle—the author seems to have only one fundamental situation in her repertoire, and that a triangle: two brothers loving one woman—again, and again, and again.

Occasionally there is a reader who approaches these novels from the right direction; that is, one who reads them one directly after another, in their order, as a single whole. Such a reader is able to keep the appreciative surprise which came with the first novel. He dwells with the Whiteoaks continuously for a long time and, as one woman expressed it, "I felt as if they were my neighbors living in a glass house beside me. I was as keen about watching them in the last chapter as I was in the first."

This desirable method of taking in the Whiteoaks in a single draught is, unfortunately, not available for most of us. Most of us read "Jalna" when it first came out. We did not know, any more than the author did, that it was going to be the beginning of a series, a part of a whole. We never knew that about the first installment of a family chronicle. Consequently, that method of approach can really be counted on for most of us.

In regard to the comparative merits of the individual novels in Hugh Walpole's chronicle of the Herries family, there is a diversity of opinion. Some prefer the first. Others say that the second is their favorite. Still others declare stanchly that they like all four—"Rogue Herries," "Judith Paris," "The Fortress," "Vanessa"—and that their interest never flagged from the time *Rogue Herries* rode up into Borrowdale in the first chapter of the first volume, until the last paragraph of the last volume shows another black sheep Herries closing his eyes on the mountains and plans and does that had nurtured so many of his family. It all makes an impressive achievement, and has been the subject of long and deliberate planning on the part of the author who, for more than twenty years, hoped to write a history of two centuries of an English family.

Some readers, however, murmur that it is not all even work, that portions of it are done with fire and feeling, but that other portions seem just to miss the fine frenzy.

What then, you ask, would I have an author do with the further adventures of his family or seek a fresh subject? Obviously there is no single answer. If I say, seek a fresh subject, there is the "Forsyte Saga" to be reckoned with, and other notable chronicles. Suppose I say, then, pray go on. Your chronicles are interesting and alive, their problems are important. They are worth another book, perhaps more. But the author finds that he has written himself out as far as that particular subject is concerned, and the public inevitably comparing the new book with the earlier one, finds a falling off, either real or imagined.

As was said in the beginning, the situation is a dilemma. A good family chronicle in several volumes is something for readers to be glad about. On the other hand, a sequel or a continuing volume, written under duress or inner compulsion, is sure to have a lack of genuine inspiration. The author probably does not know when he takes up his pen to go on with his chronicle whether he is going to rise to the occasion or not. It is only fair to say, however, that the anti-climactic effect of a sequel lies in the reader as much as in the writer. Not that it is wholly due to the reader's fickleness, but to the fact that the same experience simply cannot be the same a second time.

If the author is not written out in his first volume; if he has something new and important to say; if the spaciousness of his plan makes more than one volume indispensable for its development—then by all means let him continue his chronicle, and face with composure the caprices of his public.

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Portrait of a Young Florentine Girl: From Domenico Ghirlandajo's Wall-Painting of the Birth of John the Baptist

"Kas es esmu?"

(Tulkots raksts par Kristīgo Zinātņu, baltus alejā angļu tekstā)

MANY of the old painters have left us a vivid pictorial record of the people, customs and costumes of their period. Conspicuous among such painters is the Florentine Domenico Ghirlandajo, who, according to his biographer Vasari, "for the excellence, size and multitude of his works deserves to be considered one of the best masters of his time."

Like many others, Domenico was first placed under a goldsmith by his father Tommaso, who had himself attained merit in that calling. It was he, indeed, who first invented and rendered fashionable the head ornaments in the form of gold or silver garlands worn by Florentine girls, and from the Italian word for these, *ghirlande*, he derived his name of Ghirlandajo—or the garland maker—by which his son also became known.

Young Domenico, however, was discontented in the goldsmith shop where "he did nothing but design" and "would draw everyone who passed the shop, making extraordinary likenesses." This talent could not long be overlooked in a city such as Florence. Opportunities as a painter offered and Domenico was soon engaged in covering great wall spaces with scenes, in which the Florentine streets, houses and figures in the costumes of his day were depicted.

After accomplishing an immense amount of work, both in his native city and in Rome, Ghirlandajo returned to Florence with a commission from a prominent citizen, Giovanni Tornabuoni, to paint the walls and roof of the principal chapel in the Church of Santa Maria Novella. After four years of unremitting work, Domenico completed the painting to the full satisfaction of Giovanni. The series, which exemplifies the saying that the storied walls of churches and cloisters were, in olden days, the Bible of those who could not read, illustrates scenes in the life of John the Baptist and other events from the gospel narrative. The attendant groups of on-lookers are rich in portraits. For Domenico introduced a number of Florentine citizens, among whom were all the members of the Tornabuoni family.

The young girl, whose head and shoulders are shown in the illustration and who is probably one of the Tornabuoni family, proves the vividness with which the painter depicted his contemporaries. Quiet and poised she stands, her dress of amethyst patterned with gold stars spreading out from the close-fitting bodice in a full skirt reaching to the ground, the open corsage bordered with a band of gold design, the white under-dress embroidered in a soft-tinted design and gold. The hair, parted in the middle, is smoothed down like a close-fitting cap, while from beneath its bands the rest of the hair floats loose in curls and ripples. The bands are folded, and the young oval face, from which the eyes gaze out, candid and steady, is set with dignity upon the firm, beautifully molded neck.

STASTS par Mozu, viņa garīgumu, pazemību, utiņcību Dievam ir bijis no ārkārtīgi liela svāra Bībeles skolniekiem. Viņš bija Vārava melns uzauzdināts bērns; bērns, kā gan šāda sava sievaste, Midiešu priesteris, avis. Būdas domātājs, viņš spļīgti aplinājas, kādi pārbaudījumi un mesli uzlikti viņa lidtautiesiem. Vīna lidjūgā lidtautiesu vajadzību tevorošana ietekmēja viņu, piemēram, kad viņa dusmas augs pret egipieti; kurš bija nositis vienu no viņa brāļiem. Mozu, tomēr, pārdzīvoja šo brāzmaunus uzbudināmas stadiju. Pārdomus un āperes stundas sievastei avju ganīšanas laikā no gatavoja un paplašināja viņa rakstus. Viņš lidjūgā šīs nepārtrauktās stundas lidterīgi; viņš auga mentāli. Otrās Mozu grāmatas trešā nodaļa stāsta par ugunsiesmi, kurā piepētī parādījis krimā, bez kā krāms sadogutu Mozu nogāto to lidzīnāt. "Un tas Kungs redzēja, ka tas gāja likot, un Dievs sauca uz to iz tā gēks krūma."

Mozus vadāja spējas attīstījās caur uzupurēšanos Dievam kalpot. Viņš tika vadīts panāk to savas tautas atbrīvošanai, kuru viņš, ļoti varbūt, loloja savas domas kopā sava nevēlmīgā mēģinājuma nokārtot stridus lietū ar vienkārtu fizisku spēku un cilvēcisku grību. Dieva saucis viņu; viņš bija mentāli apģauds; viņš bija gatavs. Tomēr, viņš atbildeja ar zināmām bažām, "Kas es esmu, ka man būs liet pie Vārava un izvest Izraēla bērnu no Egiptes?"

Atbūšanās var arī būt raksturojams dažiem Kristīgām mīsu uzdevumiem vai pat lkdīgās satiksmes parasto prasījumu rutīnā, izteic šo vīlciānānos "Kas es esmu?" Mozu jautājumā norādīja, ka viņš vērtēja savas spējas pārāk zemu. Viņš tiecās drīkst izteikt visus iemeslus, kādēļ viņš gēvar pieļemt, nekā uzskatīt Dieva pavēli.

Ir interesanti lēvērot, ka Mozu satiksmē ar Dievu šīs pretējie apzīmumi tika atņemti. Viņš saņēma Dieva apsolījumu būt ar viņu, vadīt un pamācīt; viņš atzina dievšķīgo spēku, kuru Dievs dod garīgam cilvēkam. No garīgās lieldības viņam bija pārliecības pierādījums par cilvēka varu pār materiāliem apstākļiem. Mozu ticība un palāvība tādējādi attālinājās no materiālas nesatīrāmības novietojās Garā. Kad viņš devās ceļā uz Egipti piepildīt savu misiju, viņš "nēma to Dieva zīdī savā rokā." Tāda neaprobežota utiņcība Garam viņam bija dota caur šo pirmo pamācību, ka pa ceļojuma laiku caur tukšnesi uz Kānaanu,

zīdīs pierādījās par Dieva spēka pielietojamības vērtīgu atgādinājumu, kas es esmu? lidz zinātniskai atkīdē: Es esmu spējis pānsiegt patiesību, vesmuli un laimi, un tā ir mana pestības klīnits un manas eksistences pamats."

Informāciju par Kristīgās Zinātnes literatūru lievēļu valodā, uz rakstisku pieprasījumu sniegs Kristīgās Zinātnes Indevniecība (The Christian Science Publishing Society, Boston, Massachusetts, U. S. A.).

Nocturne

The camp fire had finally gone out. Our store of mountain legends was exhausted. And the rising full moon invited to fresh adventure.

Very well I understood that our party was to camp here for the night. To be sure, another mile of mountain remained, to be climbed in the morning. But suddenly I wanted to climb by moonlight at least to the final peak. Nor was I alone—some of the others would come with me.

So up we started. The steep trail resembled a rocky river bed. In small clearings the moon illuminated every detail of the path. But that only emphasized the darkness in the deeper forest. Invisible rocks, stumps, and gnarled roots, crossing the trail like serpents, made the experience exciting.

The trees were gradually shrinking. The moon, shining through, caused blotches of white light to stand out—white spots which assumed most fantastic shapes. White figures of light silently glided and danced around us. The blackness of the trees made the white of these dancers more intense. As we neared the tree line, the wind got stronger and louder.

Suddenly someone behind me started to talk in low tones. Up to this point, we had all climbed like mutes. I slowed down to hear better.

A thousand rocks! And a thousand roots! And a thousand fallen trees!

Up, up, over the hill, Ask the moonlight men on the hill To ask the bear What he sees.

A thousand rocks! And a thousand roots! And a thousand fallen trees!

Trees were now much smaller; more light shone on our path—strange light which made all except the wind and my companions seem unreal.

Soon our boots clicked a metallic tattoo on the bare, rocky terrain above the tree line. The moon, right in front of us, was almost blinding. The light places were a very white gray, the shadows a deep black. Lights of distant towns twinkled up

"Who am I?"

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

THE story of Moses, of his spirituality, humility, confidence in God, has been of outstanding value to Bible students. He was one of the Hebrew people, brought up by Pharaoh's daughter; afterward a shepherd, keeping the flocks for his father-in-law, the priest of Midian. A thinker, with a vivid realization of the trials and impositions placed upon his countrymen, his sympathetic appreciation of their needs affected him, when, for example, his anger rose against the Egyptian who had slain one of his brethren. Moses, however, passed through this phase of untempered impulsiveness. During the hours of meditation and contemplation which were his as keeper of his father-in-law's sheep, his character matured and broadened. He used these uninterrupted hours to advantage; he grew mentally. In the third chapter of Exodus, the record tells of a flame of fire which suddenly appeared in the midst of a bush without consuming it. Moses turned aside to investigate; "and when the Lord saw that he turned aside to see, God called unto him out of the midst of the bush."

Moses' capacity for leadership was about to be unfolded by consecration to God's service. He was to be directed to bring about that liberation of his people which, very probably, he had dwelt upon in his thought since his disastrous attempt to adjust an affair by mere physical force and human will. God called him; he was mentally equipped; he was ready. Yet, he replied with some consternation, "Who am I, that I should go unto Pharaoh, and that I should bring forth the children of Israel out of Egypt?"

Reluctance may also be characteristic of some Christians today. How many of us now, confronted by an advanced task, or even in the routine of ordinary demands of daily contacts, voice this hesitating "Who am I?" Moses' question indicated that he rated his capability too low. He was inclined to check all the reasons why he should not, rather than count the reasons why he should, accept God's behest.

It is interesting to note that in Moses' communion with God these adverse opinions were relinquished. He received God's promise to be with him, to guide and instruct; he acknowledged the divine power which God gives to spiritual men. From spiritual evidence he had convincing proof of man's dominion over material conditions. Moses' faith and confidence were thus removed from matter and unswervingly placed in Spirit. When he set out for Egypt to fulfill his mission, he "took the rod of God in his hand." Such implicit reliance on Spirit had been given him through this first lesson that during the journey through the wilderness on the way to Canaan the rod proved a valuable reminder of the available power of God.

The sincere and conscientious seeker may study the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, and find therein set forth the spiritual standard of a perfect life. All who will may avail themselves of the rules of this practical, usable religion, which shows

the way of reparation for past failures and mistakes.

In the Glossary to Science and Health we find the following definition (p. 588): "I AM; God; incorporeal and eternal Mind; divine Principle; the only Ego." As we learn something of the great "I AM THAT I AM," with whom Moses consciously talked, we discover the unfolding answer to the patriarch's question, "Who am I?" The spiritual nature of God, the creator of the universe, including man, is fully established throughout the Scriptures. As recorded in the Old Testament the prophets demonstrated in some measure the nothingness of matter and material law, through acknowledgment of God, "the only Ego," and man as the spiritual idea of this one Mind, governed by spiritual law alone.

In spite of previous material education, false theology, indifference, indolence, we may acknowledge divine perfection, and in some degree begin to manifest it. We may prove it day by day throughout the years. In "Miscellaneous Writings" Mrs. Eddy writes (p. 18), "The purification or baptismals that come from Spirit, develop, step by step, the original likeness of perfect man, and efface the mark of the beast." The frequent assurances which the earnest student gains of man's sonship with the Father, with "incorporeal and eternal Mind; divine Principle; the only Ego," remove "the mark of the beast," the belief in matter, the sins and frailties which surround mortal selfhood—the discord which the acceptance of a power apart from God has perpetuated and prolonged. We approach "the perfection of perfect man," in proportion to our willingness to obey the law of Love and abide in Truth. To say, "I am sick," would be to admit for the moment the fundamental claim of error, that the reflection of the great I AM can at any time be less than perfect. In order to represent God correctly, individual consciousness must be good. In a letter to a Christian Science church Mrs. Eddy states clearly and reasonably the answer to this question (The First Church of Christ, Scientist, and Miscellany, p. 165): "As an active portion of one stupendous whole, goodness identifies man with universal good. Thus may each member of this church rise above the oft-repeated inquiry, 'What am I?' to the scientific response: 'I am able to impart truth, health, and happiness, and this is my rock of salvation and my reason for existing.'"

(In another column will be found a translation of this article into Latvian.)

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Autumn shall burnish April's silver sheen,
And make a copper landscape out of green.
Winter shall cover summer's lavish gold
With diamonds that only frost can hold.
Spring shall restore her silver; autumn's blight
Shall be outwitted in a single night.
While summer's splendor shall retrieve her pledge
From winter's grasp, in every yellow hedge.

EDITH LEMMON.

Financial: Market Quotations

Closing Prices on N. Y. Stock Exchange

Market Develops
A Steadier Pace
In Quiet TradingLosses Overcome and Some
Advances Are Recorded
in Wall Street

NEW YORK, Oct. 27 (AP)—Financial market thermometers today registered "dullness and caution," but prices generally showed a tendency to improve in the afternoon despite the apparent indecision of traders regarding the Administration's gold control program.

Although the price of the yellow metal was moved up 22 cents an ounce to \$31.76 by the F. R. C., foreign exchanges actually declined in terms of the dollar. This puzzling anomaly apparently left stocks and staples hanging on a doubtful ledge for a time, and the activity during the early hours was at a low point for the last several weeks. Stocks rallied later, however, and wheat firmed sympathetically. Bonds were mixed.

Advances of 1 to around 3 points were recorded in the late dealings. Trading, which was extremely dull earlier, increased moderately on the buying of Alcohols, metals and other industrial leaders moved to the fore.

National Distillers soared about 6 points while issues around 3 points included Case, United States Smelting, United States Industrial Alcohol and Cerro de Pasco.

American Telephone rose 2, and Steel was up a point.

Transfers approximated 1,050,000 shares.

Wall Street, although chiefly interested in the gold situation, as related to the wished-for upturn in both commodity and equity prices, was scrutinizing the third quarter earnings statements of the large corporations. Many of the quarterly reports were viewed as highly cheerful, notwithstanding the intimations in some that fourth quarter results may not be quite so bright.

Retail Trade Better

The week-end trade reviews found a substantial upturn in retail distribution which was stimulated by cooler weather. Textile lines, it was said, were the most active. Dun & Bradstreet believed the industrial indices were somewhat more favorable, although "lacking sufficient uniformity to establish a definite trend." While there was a moderate increase in employment, the review added, general operating schedules were expected to continue at a diminished rate until labor disturbances will have been cleared up.

Some observers of the steel industry were predicting that the quarterly report of the U. S. Steel Corp. out next Tuesday, will show considerable improvement over the 1932 period, but probably will reflect the declining demand through August and September. Opinions as to whether the corporation would again pay 50 cents on the cumulative preferred stock varied. Some estimators believed a balance would be shown which would more than take care of this payment.

Freight car loadings for the week ended Oct. 21 were off 13,576 from the total of the previous week, but the decline was "lacking uniformity" in the financial district. At the same time the aggregate was 8497 ahead of the like 1932 period. The last week's loss was principally in coal shipments.

Bond Market Dull

In one of the duller sessions in recent weeks the bond market today continued a drifting course without much semblance of activity.

U. S. Government issues were down a little, and some of the high-grade corporation loans moved in the same direction, but with volume so low as to give fluctuations little significance.

There were contrasting spots of heaviness and firmness in the secondary division. Declines were preponderant, but most of the losses were small. Some of the low-priced rails like Baltimore & Ohio 4 1/2's and Pennsylvania 4 1/2's yielded a point or so. Chesapeake & Ohio 4's, a gilt-edged rail, were equally heavy.

Minor gains were scored by some industrial and utility classifications, including American Smelting & Refining 3's, Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron 6's and Consolidated Gas 5 1/2's.

Trading was quieter in the foreign sector and price changes narrow. Italian 7's gave another display of strength, while French 5's, however, the recent leaders, slipped into comparative obscurity. Argentine 6's, Norway 6's and Poland 7's rose fractionally.

Dividend Declarations

Sagamore Manufacturing Company declared a quarterly dividend of 50 cents a share, payable Nov. 1 to stock of record Oct. 24. This is the first dividend since one of \$1 paid in May, 1932.

Charlton Mills declared a dividend of \$1 a share, payable Nov. 1 to stock of record Oct. 24. This is the same as the dividend paid three months ago.

Brooklyn Union Gas Company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents on the common, payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 1.

Intercontinental Company declared a dividend of 2 1/2 cents on the common, payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 1.

Bulfinch Dredging, Ltd., declared an interim dividend of 60 cents on the common stock, payable in cash, on Nov. 1, 1933.

Dec. 4 to stock of record Nov. 8. Dividends payable to London and Australian stockholders will be made by check.

Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company declared a dividend of 20 cents, payable Nov. 29 to stock of record Oct. 31. Six months ago the company announced that thereafter dividends would be paid semi-annually. Last quarterly distribution was 10 cents paid May 31, last.

Copper Demand Light

NEW YORK, Oct. 27 (AP)—Domestic copper demand was light today, with metal available to the end of next March at 8 1/2 cents a pound, unchanged from yesterday. Producers are holding firm at 9 cents a pound delivered.

Bank of England Rate

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The Bank of England made no change in its discount rate of 3 per cent.

1933 Range Div.	High	Low	1932 Range Div.	High	Low
1 Adams Express	2800	27 1/2	1 Gen Gas & E. A.	2500	24 1/2
2 Adams Mills	900	17 1/2	2 Gen Mills	300	29 1/2
3 Addressograph	200	19 1/2	3 Gen Motors	5400	53 1/2
4 Air Reduction	100	10 1/2	4 Gen Out Ad	100	9 1/2
5 Allegheny	1200	11 1/2	5 Gen Out Ad	100	9 1/2
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Financial: News and Comment

Price of Gold
Pushed Forward
Another NotchQuotation 22 Cents Above
Thursday at \$31.76
a Fine Ounce

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The Administration pushed the price of gold up a stable notch today, 22 cents over yesterday, to \$31.76 a fine ounce, in steady pursuance of its price-raising motive.

Despite announcements that the aim was to keep just ahead of the London and world gold price, the American quotation is now a full 74 cents above the St. Swithin's Lane figure, which slightly receded over night. It seems evident, therefore, that the Administration not only desires to place a substantial margin between its own offered price and the European quotation, but is also aiming at its long-range objective of price-raising without reference to the world quotation on gold.

Gold Price Experiment
The internal theoretical gold value of the dollar, based on the difference between the R. F. C.'s offered price of \$31.76 an ounce and the statutory price of \$20.67, thus today becomes 65.09 cents. It has dropped virtually a full cent in value in the last two days as a result of the new gold price.

Theoretically, under the gold-price experiment which the Administration is trying, this would mean that general commodity prices would have risen by 1 per cent. It should also mean that the foreign exchange value of the dollar has dropped to the same extent.

Actually neither result was produced within these 24 hours. Commodity prices receded slightly, under what the market described as profit-taking, while the European gold quotation of the dollar also improved ever so slightly to 65.03 cents, which is a cent and a half above the price set by the American Government by its bargain-sale offer of dollars.

Commodity Prices
That commodity prices receded slightly is not taken as a discouragement at the White House or among the currency experimentalists scattered in the Treasury, the agricultural administration, and elsewhere in government departments. The only way to round up the far-flung experts who devised the momentous plan now under trial—and who mostly come from Cornell University—is currently said in Washington to be to play "Far above Cayuga's waters," but when found and consulted, the Cornell experts indicate that they did not expect commodity prices to advance instantly—except as a result of psychological stimulus—and that the effect of a boost in gold prices upon commodity prices will be seen only over a protracted period.

Moreover, they express no surprise that the foreign value of the dollar has not sunk. They are confident that the Government's gold control means that the dollar is not at the mercy of foreign speculators, either to sink or to rise. They look forward to continuation of the experiment without trepidation.

Just "Acquire" Gold
Emergency regulations to carry out the currency test are broadening. Mints have been authorized to take the newly mined gold at its daily R. F. C. Treasury quotation; R. F. C. is empowered to "acquire" the gold, not to "purchase" it; the Treasury must cease to act as agent for the export of gold; an issue of \$50,000,000 in debentures has been approved to take care of the purchases.

The newly acquired gold is to be kept in Federal Reserve vaults until the R. F. C. is ready to trade in the yellow metal internationally. Meanwhile, old gold offered to the Federal Reserve bank is bought only at the former statutory price of \$20.67 a fine ounce.

**Drop in Chile Exports
Of Machinery to Peru**

SANTIAGO, Chile (By U. P.) Oct. 27.—The flourishing export trade in light trucks and small machinery, from Chile to Peru, is being seriously threatened by Japanese competition, according to Señor Gruebler, official of the Libertad Foundry here, a large Swiss-Chilean engineering and metal works.

"Peru would seem to be a favorable market for Chilean metallurgical products," said Mr. Gruebler, "but unfortunately, we cannot compete there with the low prices of similar articles manufactured in Japanese works."

The depreciation of the yen and the low standard of living of Japanese workmen contribute to this state of affairs.

On the other hand, Chilean laminated steel is being sent to Peru by two other metal works here with great success.

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DEPOSIT BY MAIL
INTEREST BEGINS NOV. 1

Sharp Increase In
Gold ProductionBy the Associated Press
New York, Oct. 27

AMERICAN gold production rose sharply in September, the American Bureau of Metal Statistics reports.

Output totaled 271,000 fine ounces, the largest in recent years, and compared with 181,000 in August, making an increase of 49.7 per cent. The total for September, 1932, was 246,000 ounces.

The rise placed the United States, for the month, in second place among the gold producing nations of the world, displacing Canada. South Africa comes first. Usually this country is third.

**Commodity Prices
Down to 70.4 In
October 21 Week**

The index number of wholesale commodity prices of the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States for the week ended Oct. 21, and receded almost to the level of the week ended Sept. 16. The index number of the general level of wholesale commodity prices for the past week stood at 70.4 as compared with 71.7 for the week previous, showing a drop of 1.3 per cent. The index for the past week is about 19 per cent above the low point reached early in the year.

Continued sharp declines in the wholesale prices of farm products and manufactured goods and smaller decreases for other groups of commodities were responsible for the further drop in the general level of wholesale prices. Decreases in grains ranged from 2 per cent for corn to 22 per cent for oats. Wheat declined on the average of about 13 per cent during the week. Prices for beef cattle fell by 6 per cent and live hogs on the average dropped 12 per cent. The market price of cotton further receded by 1 per cent and fresh fruits decreased on the average of 4 to 5 per cent.

The accompanying statement shows the index numbers of groups of commodities for each of the five weeks ended Oct. 21, 1933.

**Possible Exchange
Control Disturbs
Brokerage Houses**

NEW YORK, Oct. 27 (AP)—Wall Street is getting uneasy over the prospect of federal legislation to regulate stock exchanges.

The committee of Richard Whitney, president of the exchange, with President Roosevelt at the White House Thursday, although the subject of their discussion was not disclosed, caused not a few twinges of uneasiness in brokerage quarters, for Mr. Whitney is known to be preparing to bring the exchanges under government control.

Talk of "driving the business to Canada" is again heard in board rooms, but it is acknowledged the power of the Government to control foreign exchange transactions, which has actually been in use since the March banking holiday, might well tend to thwart a flight of the American security trading business across the border.

With the conviction definitely growing that the long-abbated regulation on the way, some commission houses are preparing to be ready to alter their organizations if it appears that the volume of trading is to be substantially reduced.

Some houses are understood to have refused to renew their leases, save with protecting clauses which will permit them to give up part of their office space on short notice.

**Argentine Peso At
Highest Since 1931**

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 27 (AP)—The gold backing of the Argentine peso has increased 5 per cent since the first of the year, and at 48.66 per cent is now the highest since the Provisional Government took office in 1931.

During the past fortnight the gold backing has increased 2.17 per cent, owing to the reduction of commercial documents in the Caja de Conversion, which handles the issuing of the metal coins.

The Argentine financial position has improved considerably since the crisis of 1931, when gold was withdrawn in large volume to maintain foreign debt service. From close to \$400,000,000 in gold in January of 1931, the metallic reserve was drawn down to less than \$250,000,000 early in 1932. Since then, however, the gold position has been well maintained.

Reasons for Growth

It is not difficult to trace the reasons for this phenomenal growth. In the first place, the financial uncertainties of the past few years have made people realize the value of a permanent income that could be depended on, regardless of business conditions. Many people, too, in the second place, whose scale of living has been reduced to a moderate income, have been faced with difficult problems through the passing of dividends and defaults in interest payments.

A third reason for the increased appreciation of the annuity investment lies in the fact that the insurance companies now offer various types of contracts to meet today's financial needs.

The largest amount of income for the investment made can be obtained under annuity contracts which guarantee an income only during the lifetime of one person. But when, for instance, a man wants the income guaranteed not only during his own lifetime but as long as either he or his wife is living, he can obtain this type of contract with a corresponding adjustment in the deposit. Or for a very small addition to the deposit a person would make for a guaranteed life income, he can have an annuity contract written in such a way that if the income received during his lifetime has not equaled the amount invested, the balance will be paid as he directs.

Annuities Growth
Is Explained By
Insurance ExpertSome \$200,000,000 Thus
Invested in 1932—Advantages EnumeratedBy John A. Stevenson
The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, Philadelphia

Investment styles have changed during the last few years. People used to feel that they were putting themselves in the "maiden auld" when they limited their market operations to the so-called "blue chips," and insurance salesmen often had to do a good deal of explaining when they suggested that life insurance be included in a man's investment portfolio.

Under present conditions, however, a good many people regard life insurance not only as John A. Stevenson's safest bet, but as their most profitable investment.

And it is no longer surprising to read articles in financial periodicals which point out the investment advantages that life insurance offers.

When a man buys an insurance policy he buys cash for future security. He is not investing in a stock or bond, but in a policy which is less amenable to domestic politics than is that of nations with a predominantly domestic market.

The Swedish industries producing chiefly for domestic consumption, show better sustained production and fuller employment than do the industries of the United States. In its relation to industry, a managed currency policy naturally has its greatest effect in maintaining those industries which produce for the home market.

Crucial Test in 1932

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Lauds Working of Managed
Currency System in SwedenSwedish Baron Says It Has Flexibility Unobtainable
Under Gold Standard—Will Cooperate With Others but Will Not Depreciate ExchangeSpecial from Monitor Financial Bureau
NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The managed currency system of Sweden, adopted in September, 1931, following abandonment of the gold standard, has been eminently successful in its aim of maintaining the domestic purchasing power of the currency, Baron Johan Liljencrans of the Swedish Chamber of Commerce of the U. S. A., declares in the forthcoming issue of Trust Companies Magazine.

Appraising the results of operation of the system, he finds that the steadiness of Swedish wholesale and retail price levels demonstrates that "managed currency by its very nature possesses a flexibility which cannot be obtained under the gold standard."

Originally aimed at avoiding inflation, Baron Liljencrans says, the policy was revised in May, 1932, with the new objectives being to prevent a fall and preferably to bring about a moderate rise in wholesale prices in order to stimulate business; to reduce exchange fluctuations without fixing the foreign value of the currency.

"While the aim of preventing a fall in the wholesale price level has been fairly successfully achieved, the policy so far has failed in bringing about a partial inflation of the wholesale prices," the Baron declares. "But no extraordinary measures have been taken to realize that the Swedish industrial production is less amenable to domestic politics than is that of nations with a predominantly domestic market."

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turned out in Canada at the rate of three to one of the other kind. There are 17 factories in Canada engaged in the industry, the value of their output in 1932 being \$3,241,323.

Cattle—More than 100 carloads of Ontario cattle are to be shipped to the British market during this month. This activity is the result of the success of previous shipments and satisfactory prices. T. L. Kennedy, Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, Ottawa, says that prices in Great Britain and the sterling exchange remain steady, prospects for similar if not heavier shipments are good. In this way the supposed beef surplus in Ontario will be reduced. Kennedy says that 60 per cent has been taken this year in feeder cattle, taken back to Ontario food lots. For these reasons higher prices are looked for next year for choice beef animals."

Crops—Canada this year has had much smaller crops than usual of cereals and hay, due to hot, dry weather during much of the summer throughout the Prairie Provinces, Ontario and Quebec, according to the Bank of Montreal. "Root crops generally, however, have been fair to good and there has been a fine crop of apples, with yields of other fruits mostly below average. The wheat crop in the Prairie Provinces has been estimated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at 264,000,000 bushels, the smallest since 1924. The wheat crop for all Canada is estimated at 282,771,000, as compared with 435,655,000 bushels last year."

Railroads—Leading railroad and airway executives and government officials hope soon to put into effect a coordinated system of air and rail transportation. Consignees, Canada and Newfoundland may obtain a place in the British Government's plans for an Empire air line.

Public Finance—The Canadian Chamber of Commerce is planning an intensive campaign in the direction of sound public finance, and business leaders across Canada are preparing to cooperate, declared Mr. W. Sanford Evans of Winnipeg, recently elected president of the Dominion organization, in an address here at the Council of the Toronto Board of Trade. Efforts toward balanced budgets in Dominion, provincial and municipal governments, are to be continued, as the realization of balanced budgets remains one of the chief objectives of the organization. Support of the local committees organized under boards of trade and chambers of commerce throughout Canada will be enlisted. Other factors in the economic situation other than government costs were stressed at the recent gathering at Ottawa.

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Threatens Suit
Against Arkansas
In Supreme CourtNotice Given by State of
Pennsylvania as Bond
HolderSpecial written for
The Christian Science Monitor

Noted here yesterday by the Attorney-General of Pennsylvania as proceedings to be instituted in the United States Supreme Court requiring Arkansas to fulfill its obligations in respect of Pennsylvania's holdings of Arkansas state bonds. Hearings are scheduled for Nov. 6.

Pennsylvania holds \$200,000 of Arkansas highway bonds, which were among the \$146,000,000 obligations that the State sought through a legislative act early this year to refund through the issuance of exchange of twenty-five-year 3 per cent bonds.

There is precedent for such action. In 1882 suits were filed against Louisiana by New Hampshire and North Carolina on behalf of citizens of those States holding Louisiana defaulted bonds. The States mentioned taking temporary custody of the bonds in order to sue on them. As there was no outright assignment of the bonds by the holders through the issuance of the United States Supreme Court maintained that the proposed suits were barred by the Eleventh Amendment of the Constitution.

This amendment, introduced and passed in Congress in 1792, in protest against the claims of a judgment rendered that year against the state of Georgia in the U. S. Supreme Court, in favor of a private creditor suing for non-payment of a debt (Chisholm v. Georgia 2 Dall. 419), reads as follows:

"The judicial power of the United States shall not be construed to extend to any suit in law or equity, commenced or prosecuted against one of the United States by citizens of another State, or by citizens or subjects of any foreign state."

When, however, in 1904, South Dakota sued North Carolina on a donation of the latter's state bonds (issued in 1867 and matured in 1897) the United States Supreme Court held that the action was not prohibited by the Eleventh Amendment, there being a definite assignment of the bonds to the State of South Dakota by the holders to the prosecuting state (192 U. S. 268).

Judgment for principal and interest was rendered against the defendant commonwealth, and was duly satisfied that same year by North Carolina.

In 1914, again, Virginia obtained judgment in the United States Supreme Court against West Virginia, for her share of the old Virginia debt as adjudicated by the Supreme Court in 1892. In final satisfaction of this decision West Virginia issued new bonds to the bondholders in 1919.

**Rise in Building
Is Noted In First
Half of October**

NEW YORK, Oct. 27 (AP)—Building contracts for the first half of October in the 37 states east of the Rocky Mountains exceeded the comparable period of the previous year for the first time since the beginning of 1930, according to Arthur Schnitman, chief statistician for F. W. Dodge Corporation.

The contracts compiled by Schnitman totaled \$64,900,000 for the first half of October against \$43,389,300 for the first half of October in 1932. Heretofore building contracts had been steadily declining since the spring of 1930. The figure also represented a good advance over the first half of September this year. During that time the contracts amounted to \$55,271,000.

Mr. Schnitman announced that \$45,902,600 of the October contracts represented work financed by public funds.

"This shows decided acceleration in the program of the public works administration," he said.

The Dodge corporation adds 12 per cent to its figures from the 37 States east of the Rocky Mountains to arrive at an approximate total for the whole country.

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President's Mentor?

George F. Warren

THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR—Wide World

Warren Is Regarded
As Inspiration Of
New Money Policy

Prof. George F. Warren is professor of agricultural economics and farm management at Cornell University. Sometime ago he wrote, in collaboration with his colleague, Prof. F. A. Pearson, a book called "Prices," which attracted considerable attention in academic circles. It inspired the "Brain Trust," so influential in promoting the New Deal under President Roosevelt's leadership, and they promptly enlisted the Cornell economist.

Professor Warren has since been coming and going between Cornell and Washington. His influence is freely traced in the President's adherence to a monetary policy which, it is hoped, will make the dollar the servant of higher commodity prices, and after a certain height has been reached, of a stable commodity price level.

**Says Pay Increase
In Steel for Year
Up by \$100,000,000**

Special from Monitor Financial Bureau
NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The pay roll increases for the steel industry under the requirements of the NRA code will exceed \$100,000,000 a year, said Mr. E. G. Grace, president of Bethlehem Steel Corporation, in an interview yesterday, after making public the company's report for the third quarter, which revealed the best showing since the second quarter of 1931. Mr. Grace estimated that wages paid by the company will be enlarged by approximately \$1,000,000 a month.

The quarterly report shows that the steel company's cash within \$283,097 of getting out of the red, comparing with a loss in the second quarter of \$3,312,846. The deficit for the third quarter in 1932 was about five and a half million dollars.

The value of orders on hand on Sept. 30 was \$72,155,458 as compared with \$42,847,681 at the end of the previous quarter and \$23,598,882 on Sept. 30, 1932.

Operations averaged 40.8 per cent of capacity, during the third quarter as compared with 23.7 per cent during the previous quarter. However, current operations are at the rate of approximately 24 per cent of capacity.

Mr. Grace explained this sharp decrease in recent operations by declaring there had been "a gradual decline in demand for steel" and "an envisaged lean period for the steel industry in the fourth quarter."

Mr. Grace revealed that no railroads had placed any orders with the Bethlehem Steel Corporation for steel rails at the new rate of \$57.75 a ton instead of the former price of \$40.

**Bennett Opposes
Currency Inflation**

OTTAWA, Oct. 27 (AP)—The need for confidence behind paper money and what he described as the international dangers of currency inflation were emphasized by Prime Minister R. B. Bennett in an address here yesterday.

Mr. Bennett said: "When you consider the position of Canada as a country borrowing in the markets of the world, a debtor to the extent of hundreds of millions, then you can see that maintenance of international credit depends upon the nation placing behind its paper promise something that inspires confidence in its power to redeem it to the letter of the contract."

"The essence of all money is that quality that causes a person to accept it without question as to its value, and passes it along to another person with that same confidence in its worth."

"If governments issue enormous quantities of these pieces of paper the value of its promise to pay goes down in proportion to the number put into circulation. When you come to consider this paper from the standpoint of other nations, you come to the real difficulties."

**Talk Is Rife of No
Sugar Crop for Cuba**

HAVANA, Cuba, Oct. 27 (By U. P.)—With the date customarily set for the start of harvesting of Cuba's sugar crop only two months off, mill owners on the island are still dubious concerning the outlook for the 1933-34 production. Veteran sugar engineers declare that it is too early to venture an opinion as to whether or not there will be a 1933-34 sugar crop in Cuba.

In view of the agitated conditions prevailing in many sections of the island, all sorts of pessimistic predictions have been made both in Cuba and abroad as to the possibility of the crop being left in the fields without cutting.

Code Limitation
Cuts Activity In
Cotton SpinningMore Spindles in Place in
September, but Fewer
Are Operated

Special from Monitor Bureau

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—A substantial decline in cotton spinning activity in the United States took place in September, according to a preliminary report of the Bureau of the Census. It gives 30,827,726 cotton spinning spindles in place on September 30, 1933, of which 26,002,148 were operated at sometime during the month, compared with 25,884,704 on August 26, 1933, and 25,549,974 for June, 24,609,908 for May, 23,421,680 for April, and 23,355,106 for September, 1932.

The cotton code limits the hours of employment and of productive machinery. However, in order that the statistics may be comparable with those for earlier months and years, the same method of computing the percentage of activity has been used. Computed on this basis the cotton spindles in the United States were operated during September, 1932, at 99.6 per cent capacity. This percentage compares with 106.7 for August, 117.5 for July, 128.9 for June, 112.4 for May, 95.5 for April, and 94.6 for September, 1932. The average number of active spindles hours per spindle in place for the month was 220.

The total number of cotton spinning spindles in place, the number active, the number of active spindle hours and the average hours per spindle in place, by states, are shown in the following statement.

Spinning Spindles—
State Sept. 30, 1933
United States 30,827,726
Cotton-growing states 19,087,448
New England states 10,717,406
All other states 1,026,280
Alabama 1,872,252
Arkansas 983,496
California 3,281,218
Colorado 974,056
Connecticut 76,170
Delaware 15,000
Florida 1,000
Georgia 1,000
Idaho 1,000
Illinois 1,000
Indiana 1,000
Iowa 1,000
Kansas 1,000
Kentucky 1,000
Louisiana 1,000
Maine 1,000
Maryland 1,000
Massachusetts 1,000
Michigan 1,000
Minnesota 1,000
Mississippi 1,000
Missouri 1,000
Montana 1,000
Nebraska 1,000
Nevada 1,000
New Hampshire 1,000
New Jersey 1,000
New Mexico 1,000
New York 1,000
North Carolina 1,000
North Dakota 1,000
Ohio 1,000
Oklahoma 1,000
Oregon 1,000
Pennsylvania 1,000
Rhode Island 1,000
South Carolina 1,000
South Dakota 1,000
Tennessee 1,000
Texas 1,000
Utah 1,000
Virginia 1,000
Washington 1,000
West Virginia 1,000
Wisconsin 1,000
Wyoming 1,000

Active Spindle Hours—
September
State Total in Place Average Per Spindle in Place

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Progress Made in Exploring the Stratosphere;
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The success attending efforts of three Soviet aeronauts to rise into the stratosphere in the army-sponsored balloon, Stratosat U. S. S. R., shows that an energetic questing interest in the upper realms of the air has developed in many parts of the world.

Another Russian balloon is being made ready under the auspices of the civilian air society, Osoaviakhim, in cooperation with the Leningrad Air Institute. It is understood that the gondola, rather than adhering to the spherical pattern used by Prof. Auguste Piccard and the Russian aeronauts, will be cylindrical. This form was deemed suitable for meeting the low pressures of extreme altitude. At the same time, it was much preferred to a sphere because of the greater comfort offered by its floor and wall linings.

The physicist, Dr. Bruno Rossi, has been reported as being in charge of a contemplated Italian ascent into the stratosphere. Three men are to go up in a balloon twice as large as Professor Piccard's.

Largest Balloon
In England the Short Brothers have been planning to build the largest balloon ever constructed—a distinction now held by the Osoaviakhim gas bag.

Lieut.-Commander T. G. W. Settle of the United States Navy expects to make up for his unsuccess of last August by ascending soon in his newly-repaired balloon, Cosyns, assistant to Professor Piccard on his second altitude venture, recently postponed for a year an ascent of his own.

Mr. Charles Kipfer, aide on the earlier Piccard flight, has envisioned ballooning to a height of about 20 miles. He believes this could be done with a gas bag containing many chambers with separate control valves workable from the gondola.

Airplanes as well as balloons are being prepared for invasion of the stratosphere. In France, the Farman factory, and in Germany the Junkers factory, actually have built special planes for the purpose. They have been test-flown and impending practical flights have been promised for some time.

There was talk in German aviation circles a year ago to the effect that this year would bring a flight by a "flying wing" stratosphere plane designed by Dr. E. Rumpler, designer of the war-time Taube.

Six and One-Half Miles

Dr. Darwin O. Lyon of New York, in the Italian Alps in 1929, sent a rocket to a height of nearly 10 kilometers (about six and one-half miles). Scrapping the idea of airplane design, he believes that ultimately the type of rocket will be able to carry a man.

His device is a cone-nosed cylinder in three sections. The lower one starts the projectile and drops off, the second and largest section continues the flight and drops off when its propulsive contents have been used up. The third section automatically releases a parachute at the maximum altitude of the ascent and this takes in tow the nose of the rocket, which is a chamber containing recording meteorological instruments.

Dr. Lyon envisions building a rocket of similar design, but larger and constituting a man in the hermetically sealed instrument chamber, and safely parachute him back to earth.

Solution of Problems
Many and varied purposes motivate the urge to reach great heights. The solution to perplexities, the confirmation or discrediting of hypotheses and theories, is sought in the upper air on the subjects of meteorology, physics, chemistry, radio, cosmic rays, the electron—and more. Certain possibilities are offered by the temperature, pressure, and constituency of the upper regions. There are further possibilities that various instruments, under those conditions, will function better than at moderate altitudes.

In recent generations, small balloons, little larger than children's toys and bearing recording instruments, have been set loose for meteorological studies. Eventually

the gas bag expands until it bursts, the instruments are brought to earth by a parachute, and a reward paid for their return to the sender, as explained on a tag. In this way, meteorological data have been recorded at a height of 20 miles.

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L. H.

Oregon to Spend \$350,000 On University Library

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

PORTLAND, Ore.—A new library building for the University of Oregon, to cost approximately \$350,000, has been authorized by the state board of higher education. The building is considered sufficient to care for an enrollment of 4000 students.

The new building will be provided with stacks sufficient to care for the 248,000 volumes already in the library and for an increase of 12,000 books a year for some time. It will be the main library reservoir for the campuses of the University of Oregon at Eugene and Oregon State College at Corvallis.

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Hymnal Notes

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No. 247

OF Henry Smart (Note 42) it may be mentioned that he was a believer in good congregational singing, and liked unison. His hymn tunes are clear and fine, and his best work, such as his "Service in F," is of a high order. He was especially interested in organ building, and set up the organ in St. Andrew's Hall, Glasgow, after he had lost his sight. This tune was contributed to Psalms and Hymns for Divine Worship, 1867.

Thomas Hornblower Gill (1819-1906) was born near Birmingham, of a Presbyterian family, that had become Unitarians. Perhaps through his studies with Dr. Jeune, afterward Bishop of Peterborough, Gill's hereditary Unitarianism had been discarded, yet he was unable to enter Oxford, because in those days students were required to subscribe to the Articles of the English church. Gill thus came to live a solitary

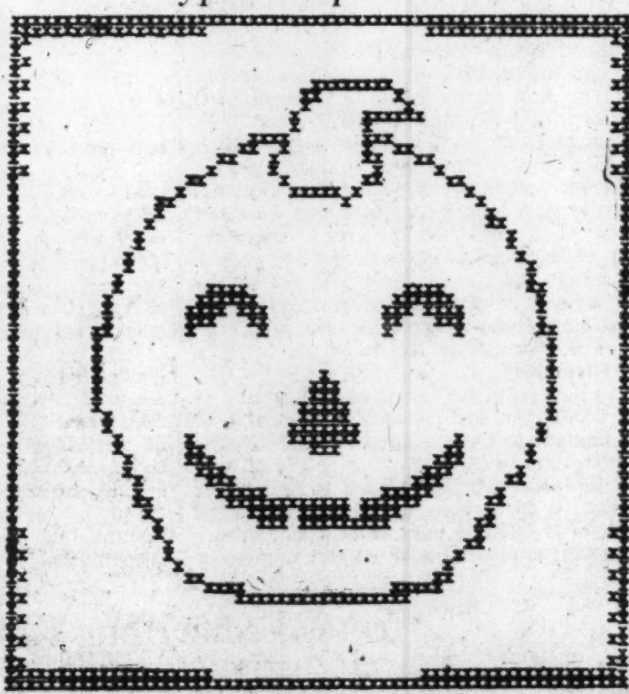
life of theological study, which gives the key to his hymns. He shows the religious devoutness of his Puritan ancestry, the ethical earnestness of the Unitarians, and his own poetic gift. His solitary habit may be seen in the unconventionality of his style. It was James Freeman Clarke, the great American Unitarian, who named Gill "a more intellectual Charles Wesley." His hymns have sweetness and a certain quaintness of phrase, and are mainly used by English Nonconformists. They first appeared in his "Golden Chain of Praise," 1868, and another volume of hymns was named "Luther's Birthday." So the glimpses we have of the experience of a poet like Gill again stress the wide scope of hymnody, which gathers into one volume the recorded faith, hope and love of so many earnest men and women, each worthy, whatever the creed, to be called, with Abraham, a friend of God.

No. 334

WILLIAM JONES (1726-1800) was educated at the historic Charterhouse School and at Oxford. He was made perpetual curate of Nayland, Suffolk, and was familiarly known as Jones of Nayland, a person of many accomplishments. He was knowledgeable in theology of the High Church type, in

philosophy and in natural science, and was a musician of ability. His "Treatise on the Art of Music," was of value. In 1789, he published "Ten Church Pieces for the Organ," which included this tune; and he established "The British Critic." The poem is one of Cowper's "Olney Hymns" (Note 313).

Typ-O-Graph No. 15



"Drawn" on the Typewriter by Mrs. Margaret H. Roush, Mountville, West Va.
 For THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR

The next time you decide to turn a pumpkin into a jolly jack-o'-lantern, perhaps you had better send for a typewriter. Hallowe'en, however, is just around the corner, so you might as well paste this in your window, and use the pumpkin for pie.

Vocations

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Shampoo Lady

Some little girls in our neighborhood watched me shampoo my little girl's hair by letting her lie on her back on my long kitchen drain-board, head over the sink (with one of my hands supporting it). No suds got in her eyes and the task was quickly finished. The little girls expressed a wish that I shampoo their hair, and with the consent of their mothers, I have continued to do so and I have worked up a good business. Mrs. A. L. J.

Selling Relish

A very delicious relish can be made out of ordinary vegetables, and I have proved that it can be readily sold at a profit. Almost everyone likes pepper relish; here is my successful recipe:
 12 red peppers
 12 dozen green peppers
 2 heads cabbage
 12 large tomatoes
 12 onions
 2 cups vinegar
 2 cups sugar
 3 tablespoons salt
 Chop peppers, onions, cabbage, tomatoes. Cover with boiling water and let stand for 5 minutes, then drain. Add vinegar, sugar and salt, and boil mixture 5 minutes, and seal.
 Mrs. R. T.

Odds and Ends

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Mavericks

Mavericks are unbranded cattle, the name being derived from Samuel Maverick, whose humane policy of not branding his cattle made him famous in the west.

Full Names

John Calvin Coolidge was the ex-President's full boyhood name. Wilson's was Thomas Woodrow Wilson.

"Cart Wheels"

More than 500,000,000 silver dollars are in circulation in the United States today.

Headlight Law

Right headlights must have a greenish cast, according to a statute now in effect in Argentina.

Brevities

Los Angeles Times: The only thing needed for international peace is a little more practice in playing second fiddle.

Duluth News-Tribune: We hope that the old saying that "what goes up must come down" is true of taxes.

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The Children's Corner

Teddy Bears Three

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

WE HAD more fun yesterday, watched the light and then we saw a great big guard, dressed in blue trousers and red jacket, climb into a rowboat and push off. As his boat was swept under the bridge by the stream, he stretched out one arm, scooped up us, shoe and all, and set us down on the little seat in front of him. The people all cheered and ran to the other side.



By a Staff Artist of THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR
 "We Didn't Even Need a Sail!"

[To Be Continued Next Tuesday]

NEWS ABOUT NEWSPAPERS

(The third of a series of brevities compiled for The Christian Science Monitor by Prof. Harry E. Stone.)

The famous Franklin "Join or Die" snake cartoon was first printed in the Pennsylvania Gazette, published in Philadelphia. A snake divided into eight parts, each representing a colony, was coiled above the words, "Join or Die."

Colonial newspapers contained no editorials. Their influence on public opinion resulted largely from the letters contributed by clergymen, lawyers and statesmen.

Patriots like Samuel Adams, John Adams, James Otis and Josiah Quincy used the newspapers freely as a means of getting their ideas before the public.

The News-Letter, published by Richard Draper in Boston, was the only newspaper that remained in existence during the time this city was occupied by the British.

Of the 37 newspapers published in the 11 colonies in 1775, only seven or eight supported the British side in the controversies that led to the Revolution.

Thomas Paine, born in England, author of "Age of Reason," was the most effective Revolutionary journalist. Abolition of slavery and independence for the colonies were advocated by him in newspaper articles under the pen name "Hermanus." His "Common Sense" and "Crisis" articles did much to stimulate the demand for an open declaration of independence.

During the Revolution, James Rivington, an Englishman and a Loyalist editor in New York City, sought to cheer the British by publishing false reports of the capture and death of Washington, and the attempted assassination of Franklin.

The Revolutionary press contained much ridicule, satire, and bitter invective. Feeling ran high on both sides and much that was presented as news was rank falsehood.

The famous "Stamp Act" of 1765 imposed a tax on newspapers of from a half-penny to a penny each, and on advertisements, a tax of 2 shillings each. This tax was strongly opposed. Parliament repealed the obnoxious act in 1766.

Letter Puzzle Names

THE response to the Letter Puzzles has so far exceeded expectations that publication of the ever-increasing list of successful solvers is no longer practicable—the columns of features would crowd out other features.

The puzzles, of course, will be continued.

Worth Knowing

WOMEN FIRST BEGAN WEARING HIGH HEELS DURING THE REIGN OF QUEEN ELIZABETH 1558-1603

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Notes and Queries

Position of relative and antecedent (Miss M. I. E.)—The correspondent submits the following sentence:

Solomon, son of David, who built the temple, was the wisest of kings.

We are thankful that the sentence involves Biblical characters about whom we know enough to enable us to state with conviction that the construction is incorrect. The relative (in this case "who") should refer to the nearest antecedent; and David did not build the temple.

The following are correct:

The son of David, Solomon, who built the temple, was the wisest of kings. (Correct, but jerky.)

Solomon, who was the son of David, and who built the temple, was the wisest of kings. (Note that the second relative is tied back to "Solomon.")

Solomon, son of David and builder of the temple, was the wisest of kings. (Perhaps the smoothest of the three.)

The following sentence, which is correct, may be compared with the original sentence submitted by the correspondent:

Solomon, son of David, who slew Goliath, was the wisest of kings.

Here the relative "who" refers properly to the nearest antecedent, "David."

Heifers (Miss R. B.)—The Russian violinist pronounces his name Hf-yehz Gong i, short e).

Note: First choice in Webster's New International Dictionary is accepted as authority for pronunciation.—E. J.

Riddles

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(Answers are names of different berries)

1. There's a berry which makes my pony's bed;

2. And another one which is green when red;

3. And there is one which rubs you all the wrong way;

4. And another which swims and quacks all day;

5. There's one you can play, to beguile your care;

6. And one a goods that the ladies wear;

7. There's a berry which seems to be much depressed;

8. And one is a bird with a speckled breast;

9. There's one we can see when the tide is low;

10. And the last you will be when you older grow.

[The answers appear elsewhere on this page.]

Riddle Answers

1. Strawberry.

2. Raspberry.

3. Gooseberry.

4. Checkerberry.

5. Mulberry.

6. Blueberry.

7. Patchberry.

8. Barberry.

9. Elderberry.

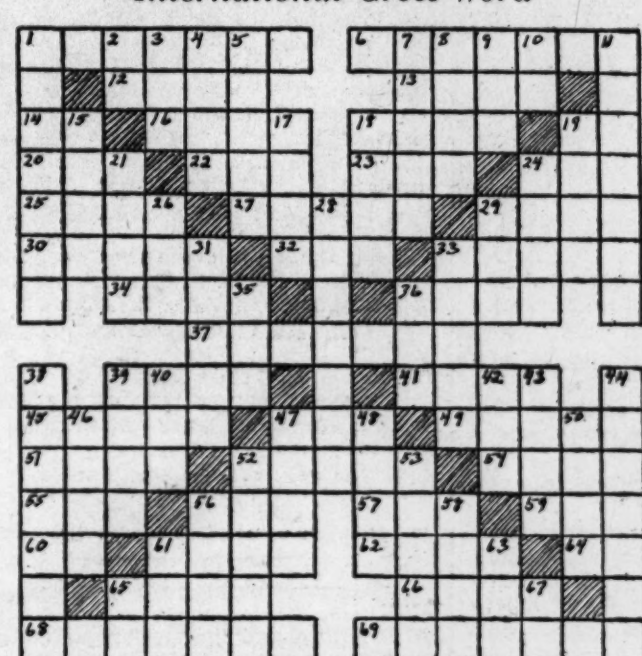
10. Elderberry.

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Quotation for Today

THE first sure symptom of a mind in health, is rest of heart, and pleasure felt at home.
 —YOUNG

International Cross-Word



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- Across
- European country.
 - One of the Hawaiian Islands.
 - An island of Dutch East Indies.
 - City in Indiana.
 - To (preposition).
 - City in France.
 - Country in Nevada.
 - State whose capital is Bismarck (ab.).
 - Country in England.
 - Largest country in Europe (ab.).
 - River in Scotland.
 - River in England.
 - Name of a bar in Japan.
 - Capital of Peru.
 - Country in England.
 - People of every land breathe it.
 - Capital of Fennian Province, Poland.
 - One of the Great Lakes.
 - Abruzzian river.
 - City in Colorado.
 - Lake in Saskatchewan, Canada.
 - Siberian river.
 - More faithful.
 - Lake in Japan.
 - Planet we inhabit.
 - English titled nobleman.
 - Capital of Italy.
 - Italian city.
 - Capital of England.
 - An evergreen tree.
 - Superlative ending.
 - Country in France.
 - Lake in Anglo-Egyptian Sudan.
 - One of the Marianne Islands.
 - River in Uruguay.
 - Peninsula in the Cordillera group.
 - City in Germany.
 - City in Pennsylvania.
 - Another German city.
- Down
- City in southern Spain.
 - Method of transportation (ab.).
 - River in Ireland.
 - Siberian river.
 - Province of Belgium.
 - One who views with side glances.
 - What is the Great Bear in Mackenzie, Canada?
 - Province of Ecuador.
 - State north of Tennessee (ab.).
 - Indianapolis is capital of this State.
 - How many are known as the Great Lakes?
 - Largest continent.
 - River in Germany.
 - Alaskan city.
 - County in Oklahoma.
 - Italian city famed for leaning tower.
 - Negative connective.
 - Russian city.
 - One of the Yatus Islands.
 - River in Africa.
 - One to whom money is to be paid.
 - Before.
 - A middle Atlantic state of the U. S. (ab.).
 - Capital of Georgia.
 - River in France.
 - Sea between Egypt and Arabia.
 - To seize.
 - Lake in Asia.
 - Town in Indiana.
 - Cape of Mexico.
 - Observed narrowly.
 - Town in N. Y.
 - Seaport city of Japan.
 - County in California.
 - Town in North County, Ireland.
 - River in Spanish.
 - Peninsula in capital of this State (ab.).
 - Everest is highest one in the world (ab.).
 - French article.

(The solution appears elsewhere.)

In Lighter Vein

Sensitive

She had tried on pair after pair and found some fault with them all. With a pair of conservative black catkins oxfords on she viewed her trim feet in the mirror and sighed with disappointment.

"It's the heels," she said, "they're so flat and low. They make me look so sensible."

"But why should you mind, if you're really not?" comforted the peering saleswoman.
 "But that's just it," complained the harassed lady, "You see, I am."—Boston Transcript.

No Chances

"Then you won't have a garden wedding?"
 "No; I'll take no chances of having my wedding called on account of rain."

Hm-m!

Maiden aunt (in department store): "Now I—er—want a nice toy, please, suitable for a small boy whose father is very corpulent and unable to do any kneeling."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Preparedness

Shoe Shop Proprietor: "Here comes a couple of lady customers."
 Assistant: "Shall I wait on them?"
 Proprietor: "No, I'll wait on them. You get ready to stretch some shoes."

Anxious Wife: "Arthur, come away from the edge of the ship. You're making it lean."

Humorist
 "Are you Hungry?" inquired the waiter.
 "Yes, Siam," replied the customer.
 "Then I'll Russia to the table, and Fiji Turkey."

"Not necessary," retorted the customer. "Just Sweden my Java, Denmark my bill."

Not by Force
 Jones: "My wife has gone to the West Indies for a vacation."
 Brown: "Jamaica?"
 Jones: "No; she wanted to go."—Progressive Farmer.

Relative Matter
 Political Speaker: "I'm pleased to see such a dense crowd here tonight."
 Voice from the audience: "Don't be too pleased. We aren't all dense."—Progressive Farmer.

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A Blind Man Came Seeing

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"Anything you may care to give for this," he said pleasantly, "from a penny to \$1,000,000."

The woman extracted some small coins from her purse and placed them in his hand. "Just keep the card," she said.

The man spoke urgently. "Please, don't offer me charity!" Surprised, the woman accepted the card. "I'm sorry not to give more for this," she told him, about to close the door.

The man came nearer. "Perhaps your husband is not working?" he asked.

"Well—no," the woman admitted reluctantly.

The man quickly withdrew the coins from his pocket and held them out on the palm of his hand. "It isn't at all necessary for you to give me this," he explained. "The cards bring in enough each day."

"But I want to!" the woman interrupted hastily. And then on an impulse, "I can tell you where you can find a wonderful book in Braille."

The man's smile flashed out at her. "I have already found it," he said.

The woman then inquired about how he had overcome his hardship. She wanted to know about this joyous man.

"Well," he answered slowly, "you see, I was told to a young Englishman. He was entering Oxford, but enlisted instead. And of course I went along. I came back like this—and he didn't come back at all. But now about that word 'handicap,' the man went on. 'You know, I never use it. When I stopped using my eyes, I began to think, instead. And soon, with God's help, I saw things I had never seen before.'"

"And here I thought you were blind!" the woman said softly.

"Well, not exactly," he said, smiling.

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Editorials

High Politics in Asia

AMERICAN recognition of Soviet Russia would have only domestic significance for thousands of Americans. They would view it only as facilitating another outlet for surplus farm products which clog President Roosevelt's path to a balanced home economy. But, to the world at large, the step would hold a vast significance. It would be one more element in the brew of high politics which is now filling all Asia.

The Asian scene is a vivid reminder of those Gargantuan struggles for power which dominated the eighteenth-nineties. They were frankly balance-of-power politics. Britain and Russia were the protagonists. From the Persian Gulf to Manchuria, these two great powers sought either expansion or influence. Rudyard Kipling sang of Adamzad, the bear that walked like a man. Adamzad was Russia, lumbering first south, then east. Warm water was what he wanted, either in the Persian Gulf or the Sea of Japan, preferably both. It was a contest in which the combatants gradually divided the world of nations into rival schools.

Again those high politics are creeping over the face of Asia. Different times, different principals; but the same old game. Japan, formerly a valued aid of British expansionism, is this time one of these principals. She has absorbed Manchuria, but still has to extrude Russia from the Chinese Eastern Railway. Soviet Russia shares half title in this railroad with China. Japan covets it, and had made an offer for the Russian half which Moscow might have entertained gladly a year ago, even though its acceptance would have thrust her completely out of Manchuria, and left her Siberian littoral out on a limb.

New developments, new attitudes. An excellent wheat harvest has given the Kremlin new courage. Maxim Litvinoff, aided by the travail of European politics, has made Soviet Russia fresh friends, now to be joined, according to Moscow, by Washington.

The stiffening of the Russian front against Japan fills the world with forebodings. Not so much for what it signifies in the relation of these two great powers, but for what it means in world politics. The situation is becoming a kind of vortex, drawing nations inexorably into it.

Britain, so steady a friend to Japan during the Manchurian trouble, is irked by the Island Empire in competition for the world's import trade in cotton textiles. A correspondent the other day said that on this account alone the British would not take a Russo-Japanese clash amiss.

France is at the crossroads. Anxious to cultivate the Kremlin as a counterweight to Berlin, she is far from anxious to upset Japan. With Japanese navalism supreme in Asiatic waters, France must ponder the future of Indo-China, and will think about that possession increasingly under her newest Premier, Albert Sarraut, a former Governor-General. She has been going to great pains to remove any suspicion lingering in Tokyo over the Herriot mission to Moscow. Financiers from Paris are alternately reported to be ready to lend money to Manchoukuo and to assist Japan in exploiting what may yet be a new Klondike in northern Manchuria.

Where does the United States figure in this line-up? Moscow says as a stabilizing force, meaning, of course, as a kind of moral backer of Russia against Japan. It is to be hoped that M. Litvinoff will be given to understand plainly that no such rôle will be played by Washington. In any cooperation for the furtherance of peace and good will, the United States should be well in the van. But to play a part in the kind of high politics which President Wilson, on arriving in Europe after the war, said had "gone forever"—that is a totally different matter. The United States has a problem with Japan, but it will not be composed by encouraging the Kremlin to believe, as it has sedulously wished to believe, that the United States would be the other half of a pair of nutcrackers in which to prison Japan. High politics on this order will bring civilization to the rocks if it gathers too many recruits.

America the Cradle of Culture?

FROM two German scholars—notwithstanding the exaltation of Aryanism in their homeland—comes the surprising announcement that neither Aryans nor Nordics were initially responsible for the refinements in living, manners, knowledge and the arts, which in sum are called civilization. After careful and complicated studies, Dr. Robert Henseling, German astronomer, and Prof. Hans Ludendorff, brother of the German war-time chief of staff, assert that the Mayan was the earliest of all civilizations.

They studied Maya inscriptions found on temple walls, altars and stelæ, and relying on the commonly accepted premise that the Mayas had a knowledge of astronomy equal if not superior to that of any Old World peoples,

they have decided that Maya chronology goes back to 8498 B. C. In fact, they say it goes back to June 2 of that year! Ergo, says Dr. Henseling, "all the higher civilizations of the Eurasian-African region, including ancient China, were but colonies of a primary culture whose home was wholly or partly on American soil."

It was, however, only a year ago that another German scientist, Prof. Rudolph Muller, asked the stimulating question as to whether Tiahuanaco, on the shores of Lake Titicaca, in Bolivia, were not the oldest city in the world. According to his studies, the civilization of which Tiahuanaco was merely an expression went back 10,000 to 14,000 years! In any event, these researchers agree that the world's oldest civilization was in America.

If these "facts" deduced by astronomers can be sustained, ethnologists, anthropologists, historians, archaeologists, philologists and a host of others in many scholarly fields will have to revise their notions and preconceptions. Mr. Wells's "Outline of History" will be simply a short treatise on almost contemporary life because conventional "ancient" history will become "medieval," "medieval" become "modern," and that which we have considered "modern" must be considered henceforth as merely the happenings of a yesterday afternoon.

Nor is there any cause for dismay, because, according to Dr. H. J. Spinden, an American authority on the subject, the Mayas "produced one of the few really great and coherent expressions of beauty so far given to the world, and their influence in America was historically as important as was that of the Greeks in Europe." An unknown poet little knew how true were his words:

World wrongly called the new; This elme was old
When first the Spaniard came, in search of gold . . .
Cities arose, ruled, dwindled to decay,
Empires were formed, then darkly swept away. . . .

Greater Volume for Volumes

GAYLY colored "jackets," regarded for years as a desirable device for spurring the sale of books, is now recommended to stimulate their borrowing. Members of the American Library Association, at their convention in Chicago, were advised that paucity of patronage can be overcome by acquiring a "snapper-looking librarian." The speaker who offered this advice has no financial interest in the purveying of wearing apparel, accessories, beautifiers or other articles which might be convenient in achieving the desired "snappy" appearance. He is a library expert in one of the larger cities, hence his motive in offering the suggestion is one of utmost altruism.

But he does not tell how one goes about bringing this "snappy" librarian to the attention of the nonreader. She is visible during her working day only to those who penetrate her domain, and none enter there save for the purpose of borrowing books. Perhaps the originator of the idea takes for granted a certain cooperation on the part of those who already are patrons. Still, it is rather improbable that the serious borrower, taking account of new raiment behind the desk, will seek out unbookish friends to inform them that the librarian is wearing a fetching little Chanel in jet on jersey with palette collar and cuffs; or that these friends, having been so informed, will proceed to the library and, borrowing books to the end that they may view the new creation, become regular patrons.

A practical suggestion, yet most impractical because it would not be countenanced, is for the librarian to take her post in front, convenient to the entrance, and by augmenting her variegated "jacket" with a multi-adjectival oral "blurb" stimulate the flow of borrowers.

It will be interesting to observe how the ever-resourceful librarians put into practice the idea advanced to them at Chicago. Other of their convention reports indicate that they will be too busy to experiment with it soon because of the increasing book wants of those thousands who, as a result of the National Recovery Act, will have added leisure for reading.

Inventive Genius Challenged

FEW laymen appreciate the progress made by invention during the last five years. It has been said on good authority that nearly 50 per cent of the United States' productive machinery has become obsolete in that short period, judged from the standpoint of efficient service under the latest standards of design. The progress of the NRA from present levels is intimately bound up with the recognition of industrialists, employees, bankers and public officials that apparatus and machinery do not have to be old in years to become antiquated, and that cost-cutting in production is a vital element in successful competition.

It does not seem to be realized in some quarters that while selling manufactured goods below cost is frowned upon by the NRA codes, a producer may properly sell below his competitor's cost if his own expenses are less than his rival's. This situation offers an immediate challenge to inventive genius in order that wasteful methods shall be replaced by better ones. It stamps approval upon a policy of modernizing plant to save money and of providing credit to industries for this purpose. The attitude of not a few business men in this respect is surprising.

Some codes have been suggested in which industries would have agreed not to purchase new equipment without a certificate of approval from the President of the United States! Other clauses almost as ridiculous have been drafted which would place a premium on high-cost manufacturing and actually effect a moratorium on plant modernization, so important in the economic life of the country. While it is necessary in some cases to control increases in plant capacity, it is economically unsound to discourage generally the purchase of new, modern machinery.

It is true that the necessities of the unemployment situation have had the right of way in many cases over the purchase of machinery to reduce labor personnel. And unquestionably the problem of technological unemployment demands to be dealt with. Machines may be

scrapped, but human workers have to be re-trained and fitted to new jobs. Yet the world cannot return to an all-wheelbarrow age, and if the market for labor-saving equipment should be wiped out, unemployment in the capital industries, and resultant in many consumer industries, would become disastrous. Any repudiation of labor-saving machinery must be only temporary even on a small scale.

Improved machinery and methods which reduce costs in processing must be provided under the new conditions of competition. Thorough analyses of cost will of course include overhead and operating expenses of old and newer methods and plants. The inventor has the opportunity of a lifetime to come into his own in this connection. Behind the urge for modernization is the irresistible force of society's demand for production and distribution at ever-diminishing outlays. Domestic and world markets alike respond to prices which enable an ever-widening circle of consumers to buy the products desired. The inventor and the engineer who apply their abilities in this cause will reap their reward in the days to come, and the ultimate consumer will benefit to an untold degree through their service to civilization.

—But to Improve Democracy

NEVER since the time of Oliver Cromwell has there been so much talk about "dictatorship" among Englishmen as there is today. Then it was a term of reproach, and discussion was secret. Now it receives the utmost publicity, and the word is not always used with sinister meaning.

There has been talk of dictatorship of the Left and dictatorship of the Right. Those who have no good word for a Lenin or a Stalin can find much to praise in the methods of a Mussolini; and some who denounce Mussolini as the enemy of the working classes are prepared to say that the main defect of the Soviet dictatorship lies in the Russian character rather than in the system. Mustafa Kemal, the dictator of Turkey, has been praised as the regenerator of his country; and it has been suggested that the completeness of President Roosevelt's success may depend to no small extent on the completeness of his dictatorship.

The British Fascists, until recently, have not been treated very seriously by the majority of Englishmen. But they have acquired a new importance since there has been talk of a dictatorship of the Left. For to talk in terms of revolution is the surest way of provoking counter-revolution—would-be Fascist dictators become formidable only when there is believed to be real danger of Socialist dictatorship.

Is there anything serious in this talk, or is it purely academic? It is pertinent to recall that the parliamentary system, with its parties and its constitutional checks, has been the slow creation of the British nation. It has not been suddenly adopted, as elsewhere, after a revolution, but has been the steady growth of centuries. It might perhaps be spoken of as the natural expression of the English political genius. Yet it is worth remembering that at a time when the British system was still the admired model of all young democracies and of all countries which were aspiring toward democracy, it was already being severely criticized in the home of its origin, in Britain itself. A quarter of a century ago there was a strong body of British opinion which denounced the "party system" as a system of "ins" and "outs," checks and counter-checks, which tended to paralyze progress, and substitute the illusion for the reality of freedom.

In more recent years, but before there was any thought of a National Socialist movement in Germany, Mr. Winston Churchill declared the necessity of a radical change in parliamentary procedure to enable the country to cope with the growing arrears of reform. Even that great democrat, Mr. Lloyd George, emphatically urged the need of more speed and efficiency in procedure. It seemed at one time that the parliamentary system received more searching and even more destructive criticism from British democrats than from any liberally minded critics in any other country.

From this it might be supposed that England presents very favorable ground for Fascist propaganda. But in fact this does not appear to be the case. The talk about dictatorship—invariably, in the present state of the world—has occurred, and has been eagerly debated. But the examples of other countries in breaking away from democratic government have generally had the effect, not of creating a desire to follow them, but of restoring the waning belief in the efficacy of the British system.

The English people in the past were more devoted to the ideal of tolerance and free speech than to that of administrative efficiency; and today they are as disinclined as ever to sacrifice the first to the second. The Fascist challenge to their instinctive and traditional view has had the effect of rallying them to the support of a system which, after all, is essentially British. We see this, not merely in the attitude of Conservatives and Liberals, but even of the official Labor Party, which has resisted the appeal to form a common Socialist front and has declared its continued faith in constitutional democracy.

The Labor view in this matter represents the average English view—that a dictatorship of the Left is as bad as a dictatorship of the Right, and vice versa—and that the remedy for inefficiency lies, not in overthrowing democracy, but in improving and completing it.

Editorial Notes

Now that billboards are being made of aluminum cable and wire mesh, to which the letters are attached, perhaps it will be easier for the public to see through some of those advertisements—to the scenery beyond.

It is estimated that the manufacturers of dog food in the United States do an annual business of between \$80,000,000 and \$90,000,000. And this business is best when it is "going to the dogs."

One advantage which a circus company has over an ordinary business concern is the ease with which its employees can balance the books.

Watching the World Go By

By WILLIS J. ABBOT

Shall Alcoholic Drinks Be Advertised? A Shift in Japanese Ambassadors

NOTHING is going to indicate more accurately the good faith and honesty of purpose of those who cooperated in the destruction of prohibition in the United States than the attitude which they may assume toward the question of advertising alcoholic drinks. During the heated campaign for repeal no one ventured to assert that the purpose of the repealers was to extend and increase the habit of drinking. Although the campaign was to some extent financed by former distillers and brewers, they were kept carefully in the background. Suggestions that they were to be the chief beneficiaries of what was widely depicted as a great moral crusade were sternly repudiated. The plea was almost universal among the foes of prohibition that out of that attempted reform nothing had proceeded except a vastly increased consumption of liquor and the enormous multiplication of illegal ways of selling it.

Now it is, of course, quite impossible for people who honestly assumed this attitude in the attack upon prohibition to look with any sort of tolerance upon systematic efforts to extend the habit of drinking alcoholic liquor, and particularly to introduce it to youths and to women hitherto little accustomed to its use. Accordingly such individuals, if they are honest, must protest against any general advertising of alcoholic drinks, and, where no law exists to prohibit such advertising, they should be the first, if they desire to maintain their reputation for integrity of purpose, to urge the enactment of such a law.

The United States has witnessed in the last few years a very clever, but exceedingly sinister, triumph, on the part of manufacturers of cigarettes in making the habit of smoking common among women. Those who pressed the advertising campaign devoted to this end were past masters in the art of mental suggestion, and, furthermore, were shrewd in not showing their full hand first. It is easy to recall the first advertisements which depicted blonde and beautiful maidens gazing admiringly upon sturdy youths smoking cigarettes. It was a long time before the cigarettes were out in the hands of the maidens. The time for more restrained advertising in its early stages has passed. Both pictorially and in fact cigarettes are in the hands of women to an ever increasing degree. Indeed there are rumors that masculine men, who are men, are abandoning the habit as being a badge of effeminacy.

Unless speedy steps are taken in such states as have no prohibition against the advertising of alcoholic liquors, this same process will be gone through with to the end that young people of both sexes may be made to believe that it is both clever and aristocratic to be seen drinking intoxicating liquors. There is but one purpose of liquor advertising, and that is to sell liquor. Advertising either

in newspapers or on billboards is costly, and it is only by selling continually increasing quantities of liquor that it can be justified in a business way. I wonder how many of those who followed the diplomatic preachments of leaders among the anti-prohibitionists, who professed to be fighting only for true temperance, will be logical and honest enough now to get squarely behind a movement to prohibit advertising of alcoholic drinks in every state in the Union?

Every time Katsujl Debuchi, who for five years past has been the Ambassador of Japan to Washington, goes home on leave, it is reported that he is never to return. Usually the allegation accompanies this prophecy that he is in bad odor with his people at home because he is too friendly to the United States, and personally too highly appreciated by Americans who come into contact with him. This would seem to be rather complimentary to the envoy. Diplomacy is not a branch of what Whistler called the gentle art of making enemies. On the contrary, the successful diplomat is the one who multiplies friendships, and in this respect Mr. Debuchi has been singularly fortunate.

I am interested, however, in the United Press dispatches from Tokyo in which the statement is made that Ryutaro Nagai, the present Overseas Minister, is being mentioned prominently as the possible successor to Ambassador Debuchi. Of course the whole story of the latter's retirement may be without foundation, but should it prove to be correct, and should Mr. Nagai come to Washington as the new Ambassador, it would go far toward strengthening the impression in the minds of those who know both men that the Japanese Foreign Office was little concerned with having at Washington a representative apt at building up friendships. I happened to be in Tokyo shortly after the famous Japanese outbreak at Mukden, and had occasion at several times to talk with Mr. Nagai. I was much impressed with his indifference to foreign opinion and rather defiant, almost truculent air.

I mildly suggested that if the Japanese adventure in Manchuria went much further than it had at that time progressed, public opinion throughout the world might be very hostile. His response left no doubt in my mind that he cared little or nothing as to what public opinion might be. He said that the Japanese forces would act with reference to the needs of Japan, and not with any sort of deference to the views of foreign nations. Before leaving Tokyo I had occasion to talk to Americans, many of them newspaper correspondents, and found that my impression as to the intransigence of Mr. Nagai was very generally shared among them. His substitution, therefore, for the always smiling, and never provocative Debuchi might be taken as an indication that Japan desires to manifest a more vigorous foreign policy at Washington.

Notes From Hong Kong

Old Calendar Yields to New

NEW calendars, such as are used by other countries, are to be printed in book form at Canton, with notes on farming and astronomical changes, based on the calculation of the movement of the moon. When these have been compiled and printed, orders will be issued by the Chinese Bureau of Social Affairs that the old Gregorian calendars must be abolished. The authorities state that it is essential for the good of the public that strict enforcement should be carried out. They state that superstitious beliefs and observance of certain feasts, which have close connection with idolatry, are a great hindrance in this age of natural science, and that the village farmers must learn to be modern in their views.

Educating Purchasers

The Anti-Japanese Association in Swatow has decided to establish a special department for the display of Japanese goods and the products of other nations, now on sale in Swatow and districts. The idea is to give the Chinese public some knowledge of how to differentiate between Japanese goods and the products of western countries. The association has already written to the various Chambers of Commerce throughout South China, requesting them to send samples of Japanese goods sold at their respective places for display in the special show department.

Will Repeat Flower Show

In view of the popularity of the first Canton Chrysanthemum Exhibition, which was held in the southern Chinese capital three years

ago, the Canton Municipal Bureau of Public Works has planned the holding of a second show. Preparations for the exhibition have commenced and the public is being requested to participate. It is understood that the exhibition will be held in the Central Park on Nov. 12, Dr. Sun Yat-sen's anniversary.

The public gardens in Canton will provide more than 2000 plants, comprising some 70 varieties of chrysanthemums, for the show, and a judging committee will be appointed to take charge of the awards. Prizes will be given by the committee for the best plants.

Trade Revives In South China

Although trade in Hong Kong and South China is still far below normal, there is a better tone in evidence and, in the opinion of both foreign and Chinese merchants, business is slowly improving. Foreign importers have experienced a slowing up in their trade since the introduction of the higher scale of customs duties by the Government of China last May, but the market is gradually becoming adjusted to the new tariff and a certain amount of trading is going on.

Business in American products has improved since the exchange rate began to rise, following President Roosevelt's reconstruction program, and Chinese business men are following events in America with great interest.

One effect of the higher customs duties has been to increase the demand for domestic productions and Chinese manufactures are selling freely in Canton. The Chinese silk trade has also shown some improvement, and exports of raw silk and silk piece goods from Canton have been the highest for some years.

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Not Possible Overnight

IT IS senseless to expect that the governmental machinery necessary to bring industrial order and a new economic system out of comparative chaos can be applied overnight.

The disintegration that has been going on for four years, the result of the catch-as-catch-can industrialism of half a century, is not to be checked in a month or two. Legislation granting extraordinary powers to the President this year, at least Congress, with no knowledge of the period necessary for the completion of the task, set that time limit on the executive authority.

With all the expedition displayed by the Administration—and not in our history has there been such a cutting away of red tape—the work of organization and the processes of recovery produce the possibility of doing the job according to the prescribed schedule, or, indeed, on any definite schedule. . . .

It is well for those now displaying impatience at the fact that the country does not begin to boom as if by magic to remember how much has really been done. They should feel grateful that it is at all possible for government to reach out and put the tottering figure of American industry back on its feet by a gesture. . . .

The test of loyalty to the President lies in cooperation. These impatient critics are impeding recovery. Their very whisperings and fears tend to retard returning confidence. They mistrust the Roosevelt plan, but if you ask them for a substitute, they have none. And these are the people who, when prosperous days come again, will assure you business would have automatically recovered, and that the President has had nothing to do with it.—Illustrated Daily News (Los Angeles).

Relief of Doubtful Value

IT IS quite a serious question in agricultural counties, especially in Kentucky, where we have a bountiful crop, whether there should be any financial relief extended by the Federal Government and the State of Kentucky. . . . All the people in the agricultural counties have shelter, and with the great abundance of food of all kinds there will be little suffering for want of it. There is

a certain class of indolent people who won't work and never did work and ought to suffer a little bit for their laziness. The more the Federal Government supplies this class of people in the agricultural counties with nominal labor at the high price of \$2.40 a day the greater the army of the unemployed will become and the harder it will be for farmers to secure laborers on the land. Of course, charity is all right to be extended to the deserving and those in need of charity, but for more than a century the counties have taken care of their own poor either in the county poor house or by small allowances to relatives who support them. As long as the Government continues to spend millions and millions of dollars in agricultural sections to take care of people there will be more and more of them to care for, and its influence will be most demoralizing. . . . Of course, in industrial centers where people are out of work and cannot get work, federal and state relief is necessary, but that necessity is not acute in farming sections, and it is problematical as to whether it does more harm or good.—Elizabethtown (Ky.) News.

Tributes When Due

MORE than one hundred Salt Lake business and professional men have agreed upon a program of casting a few flowers along the pathways trod by their associates in community life. It is an altogether inspiring movement, calculated to accord some measure of recognition for unselfish service. Congratulations are due to the sponsors.

The first to be honored by this group of citizens is Ben F. Redman, cheerful and unselfish devotee of civic progress. Mr. Redman was toasted and eulogized for his unswerving loyalty to his city and his State, for his outstanding endeavors in behalf of others, for his breadth of vision and understanding and his deep sympathy for his fellow man. . . .

No price can be placed on the comforting satisfaction enjoyed in the receipt of such merited acclaim. . . . Offered in sincerity, stripped of hypocrisy, and radiating with the teeming warmth of friendship, such well-earned honors stimulate pride in accomplishment for the good of all. . . .—Salt Lake City Tribune.